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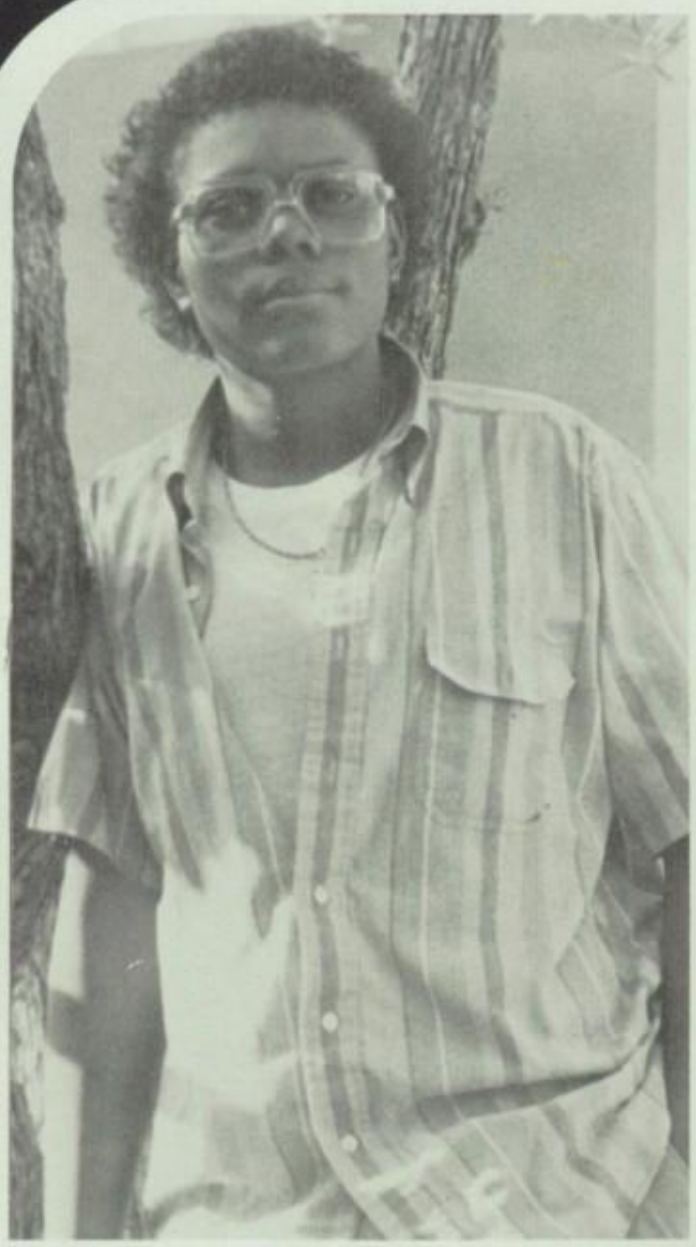
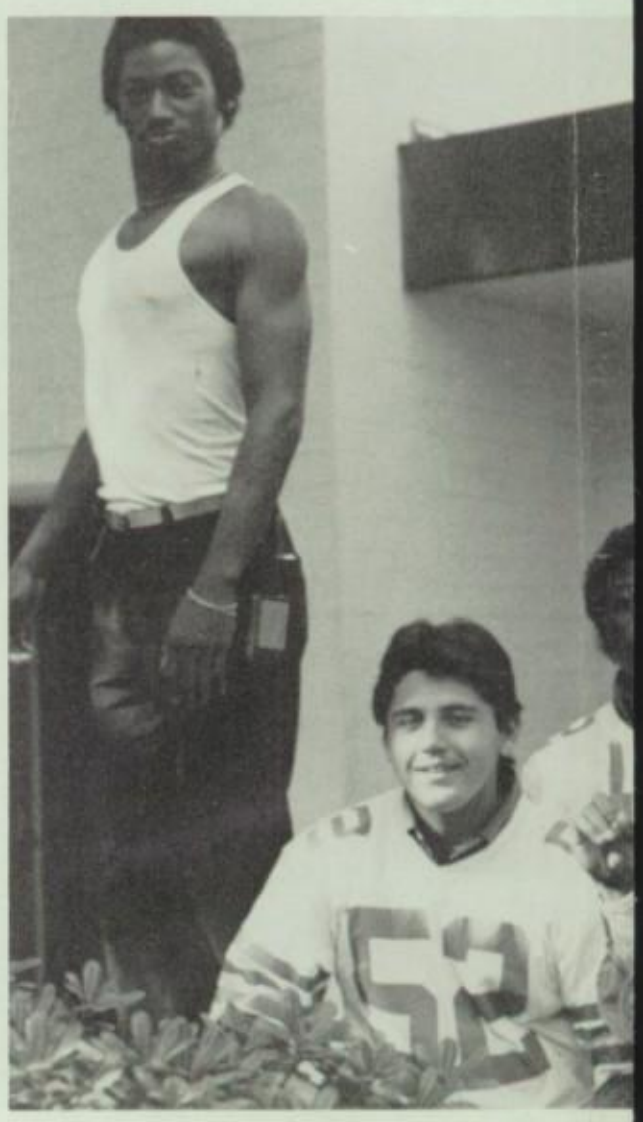
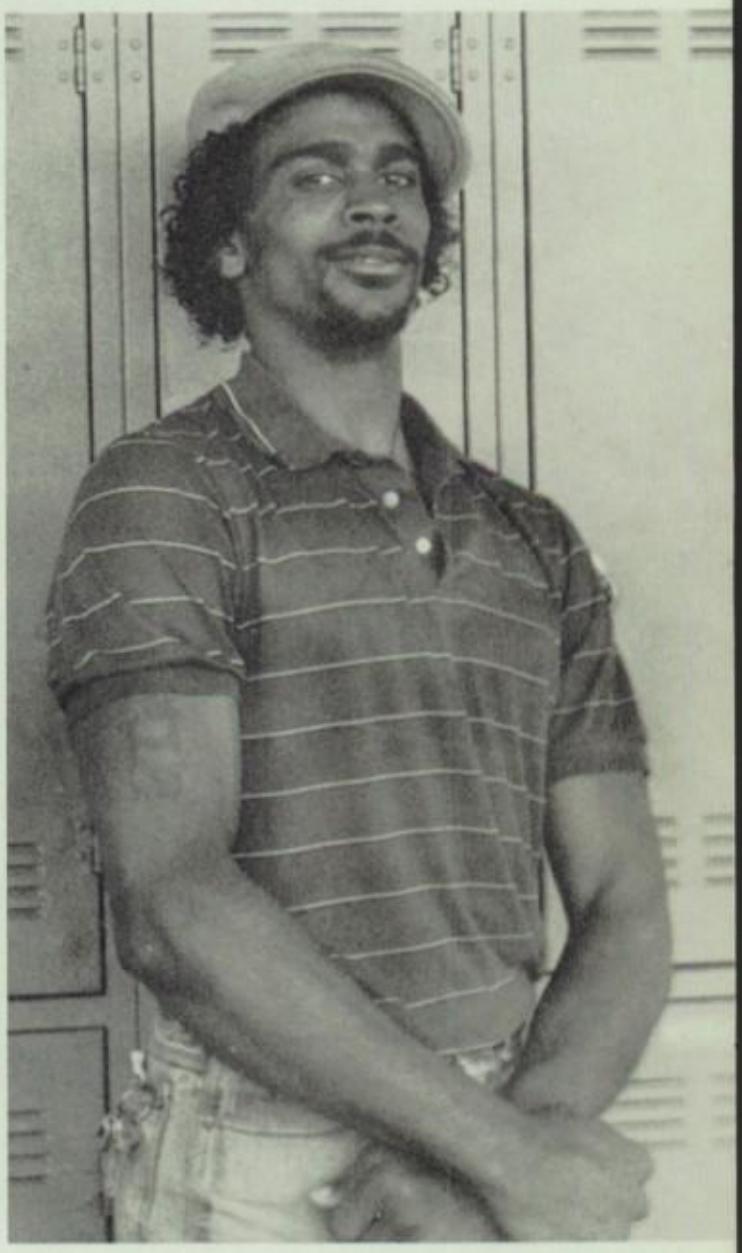
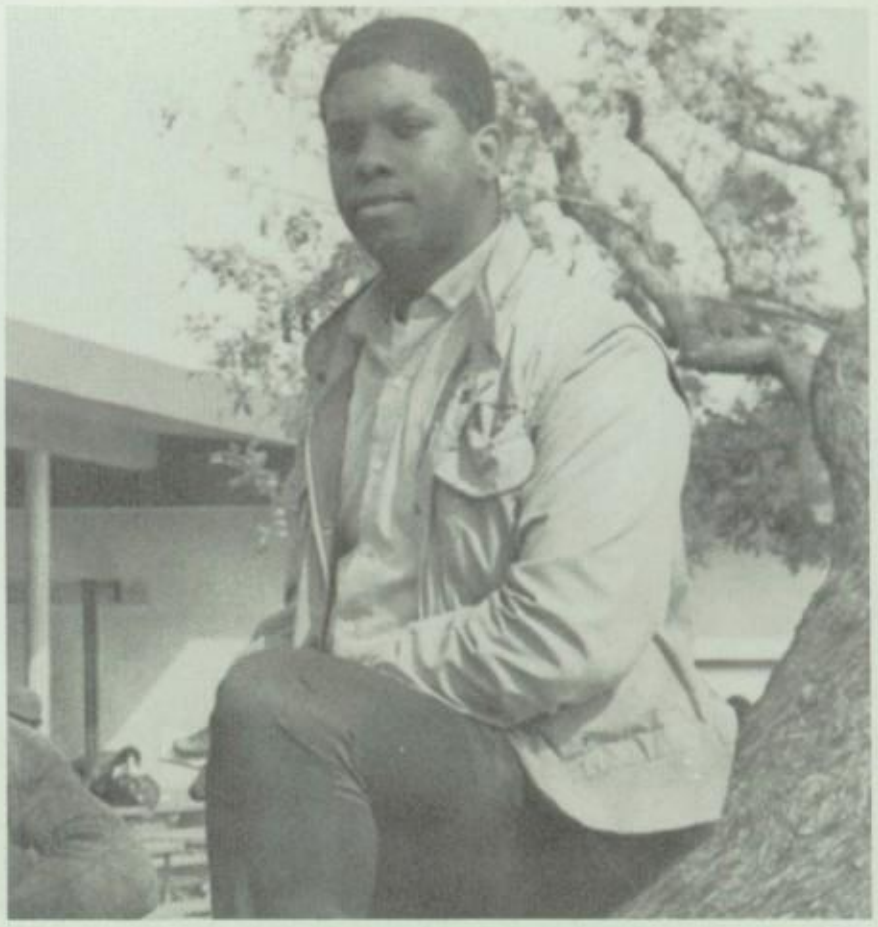






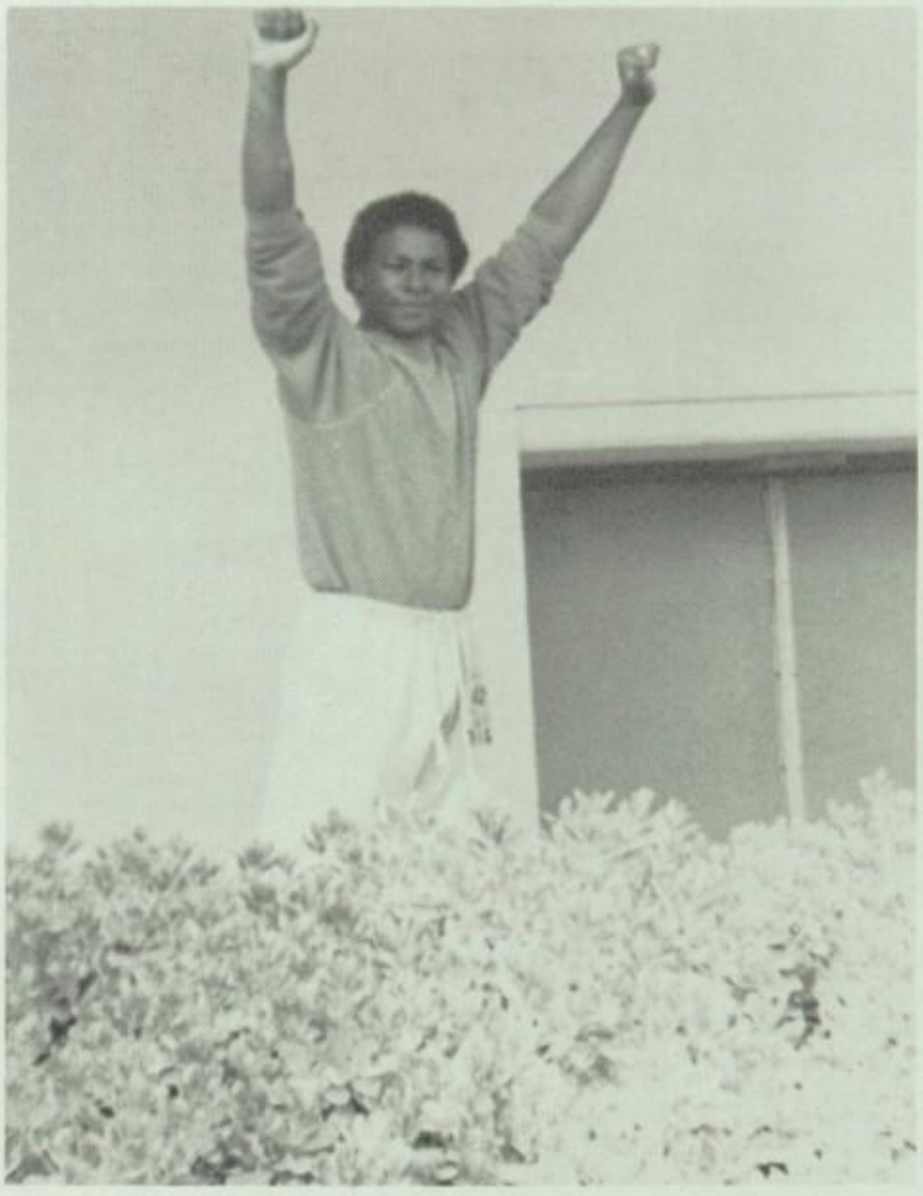
These photographs represent the many facets of Verbum Dei life. Welcome to eagles land where we are proud mannered and distinguished in power. We do our best in the classroom in atheletics, and in the everyday world. WELCOME to Verbum Dei

Trevor Graham taking a midday snooze.

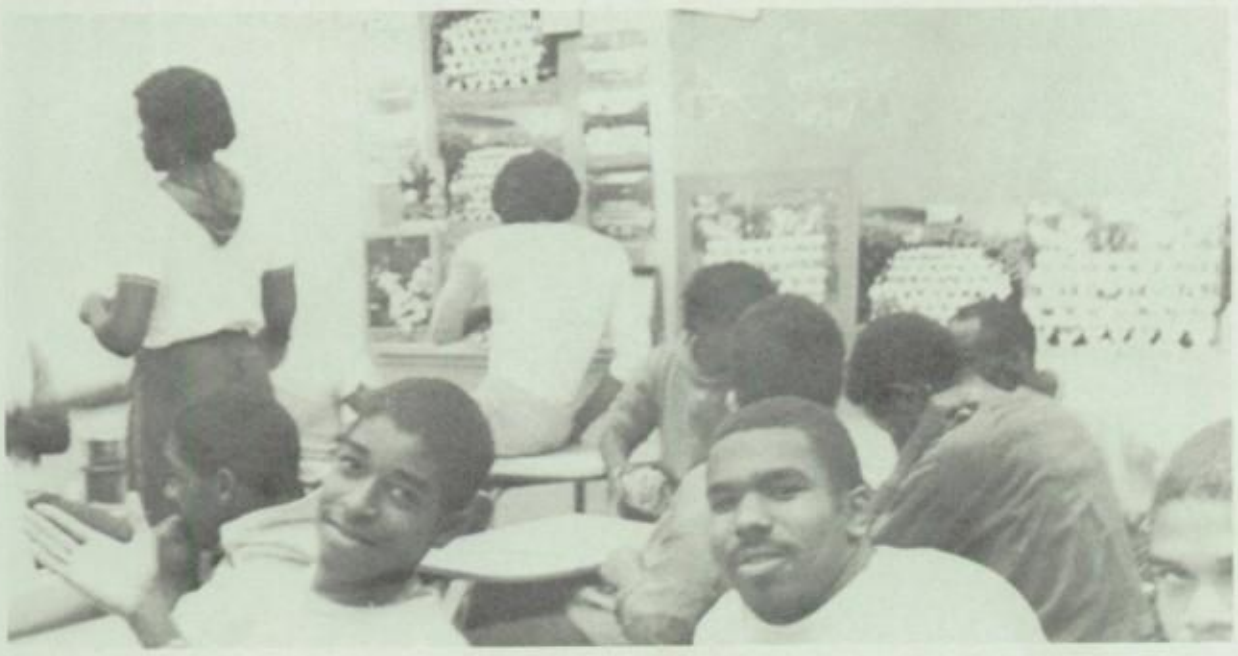


Kyle and Lamont hanging around in the tree.

Eric and Kelly pose for a picture.



Larwence Doss demonstrating "pride".



SR. PHILOMENE BREEMANS, I.C.M.

The 1985 yearbook staff proudly dedicates this edition to a woman that has given a lot of service to Verbum Dei High School. This woman is Sister Philomene Breemans, I.C.M. Sister Philomene has and will continually teach Verbum Dei young men the meaning of hard work and dedication.

Sister Philomene Breemans joined the Verbum Dei family back in September of 1971. She brought with her a good back-ground of teaching experience and many other talents which has given added life to Verbum Dei. She likes teaching the students that attend Verbum Dei tremendously. Her field of expertise is the sciences. Sister Philomene would one day like to teach a course of bio-ethics, a combination of science and theology.

There have been graduates that have returned to Verbum Dei to thank Sister Philomene for her untiring efforts, guidance, and even her punishments which has helped them to be the success that they are today.

Thank you Sister Philomene for fourteen years of service and dedication to the young men of Verbum Dei. May you have many more blessed years at Verbum Dei.

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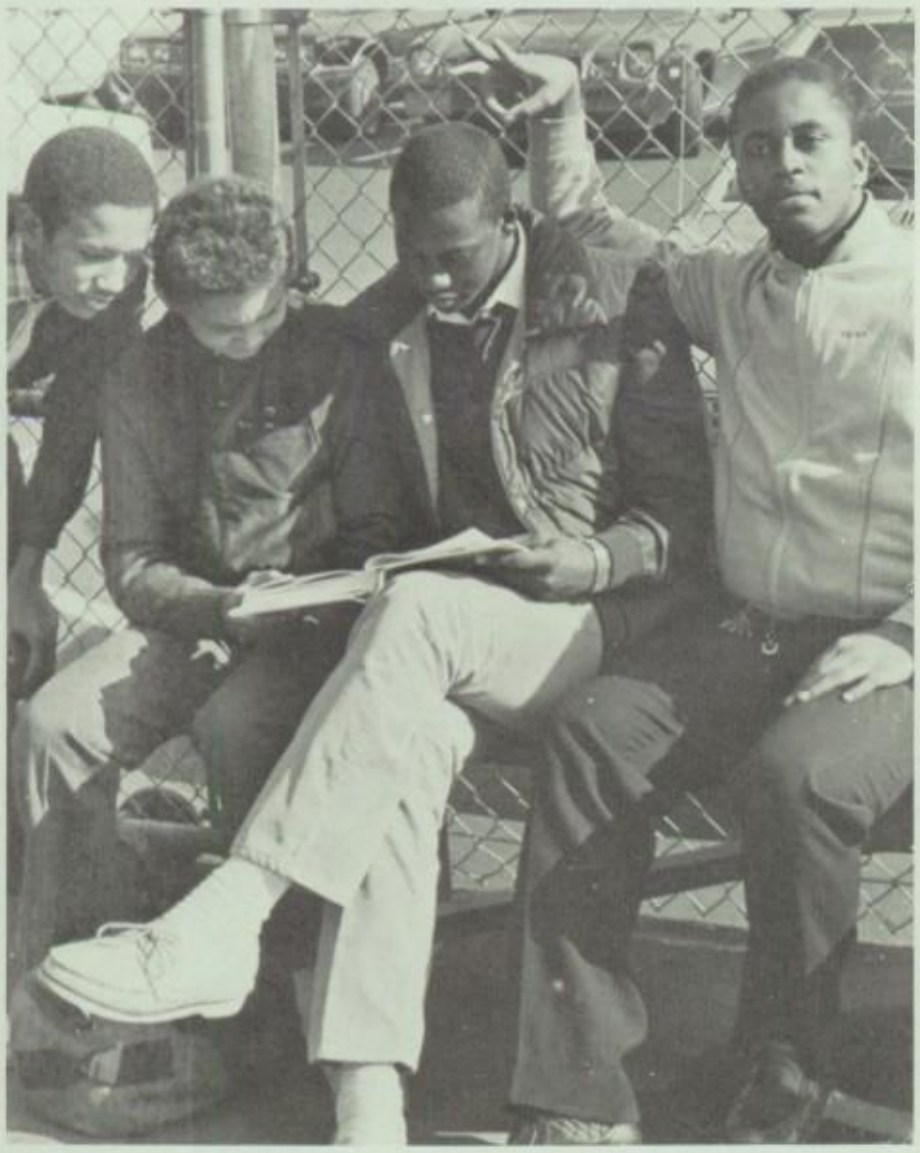
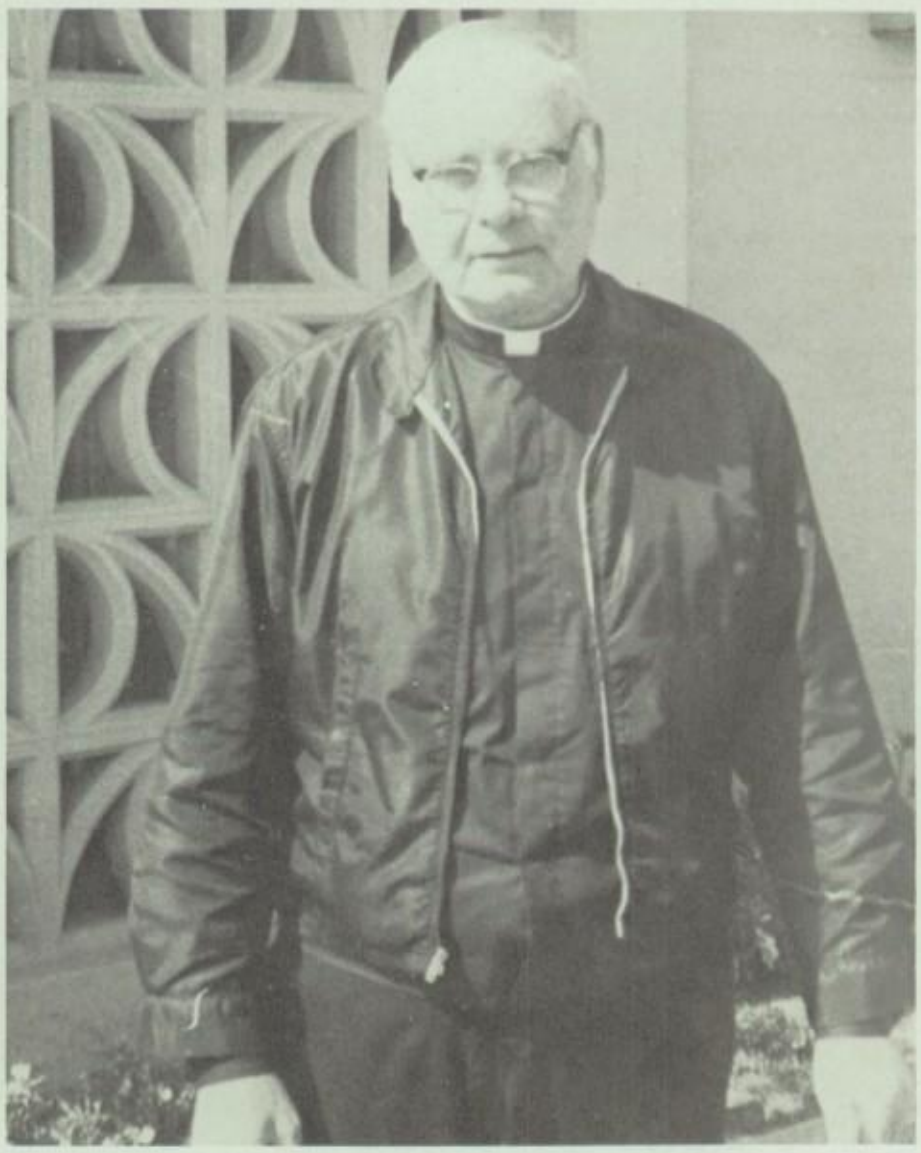
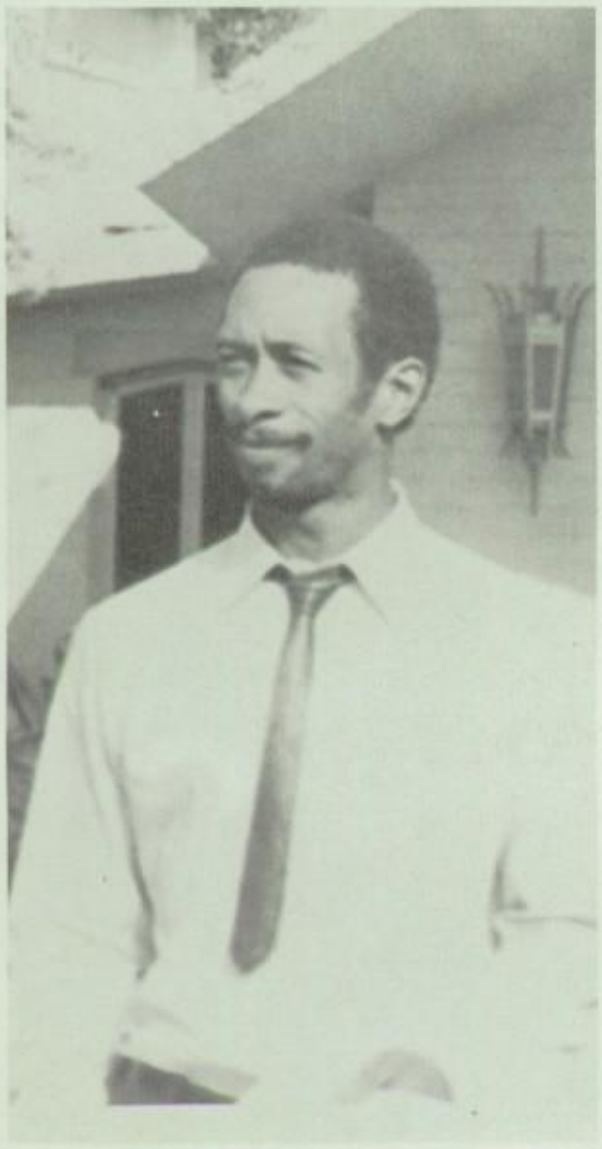




Verb students at work and play. And a quicky candid of Fr. Hoefler

Below: Are regular faces at Verbum Dei, except one MR. Williams he is one of our newest members of our family. ("Welcome Mr. Williams")



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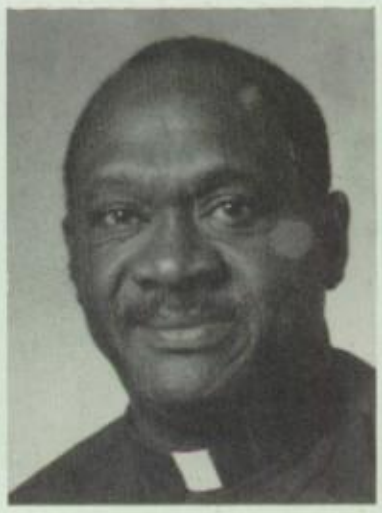

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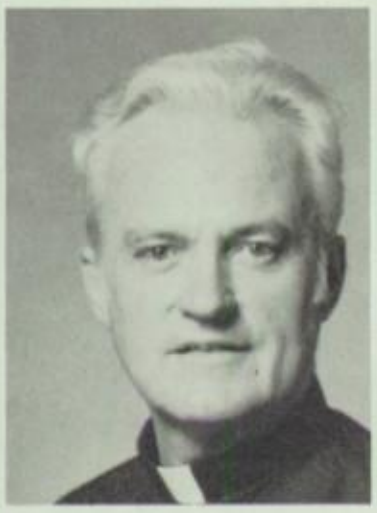

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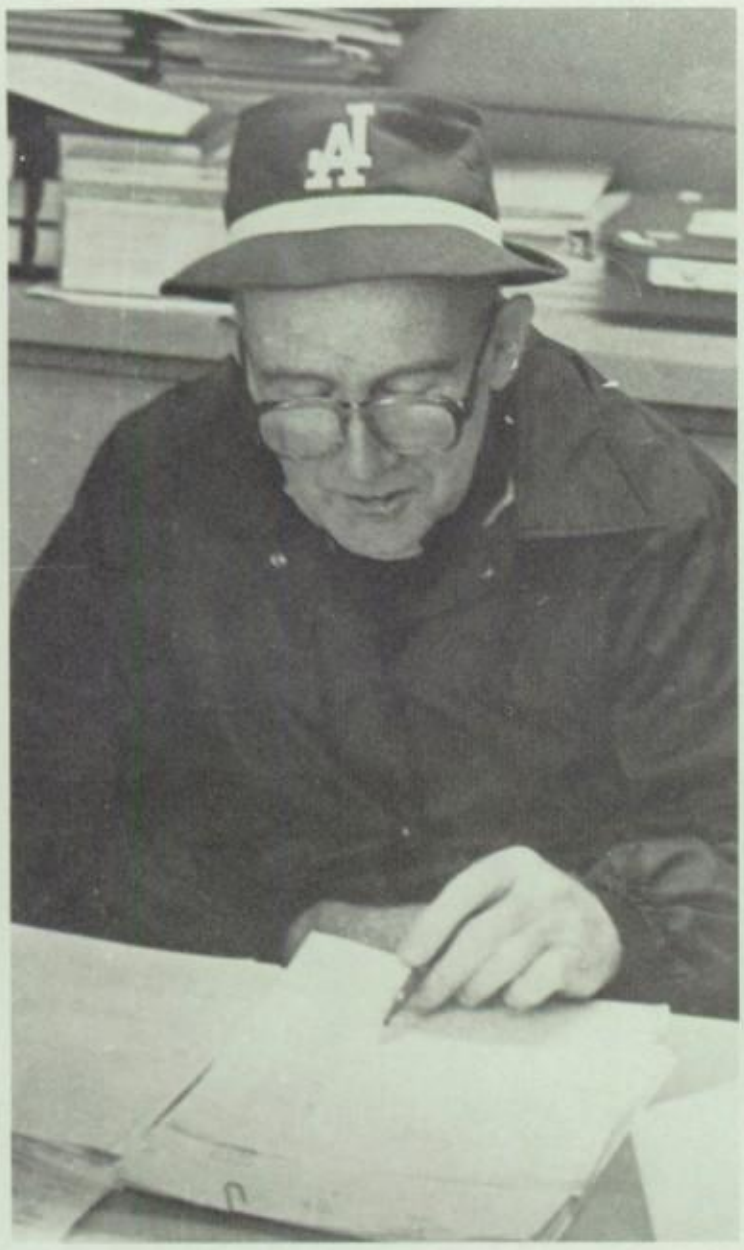

Fr. Bonner reviews a students paper before class.

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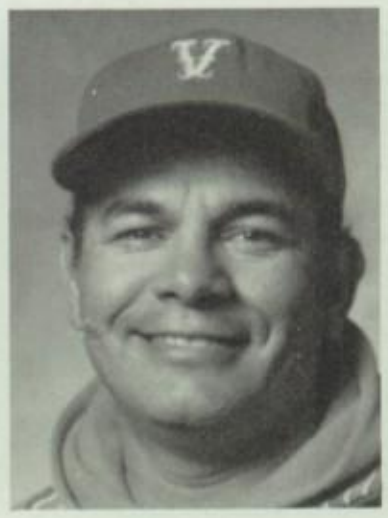

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Obery ain't 'fraid of no Aussie Bear! (or is he?)

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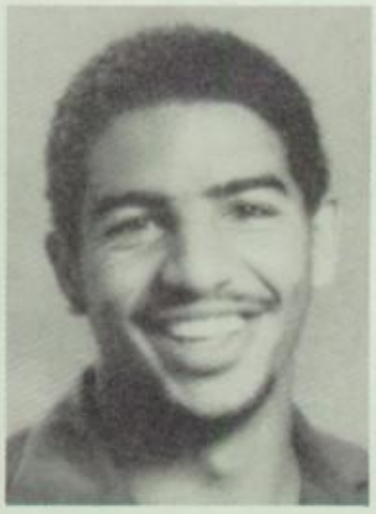

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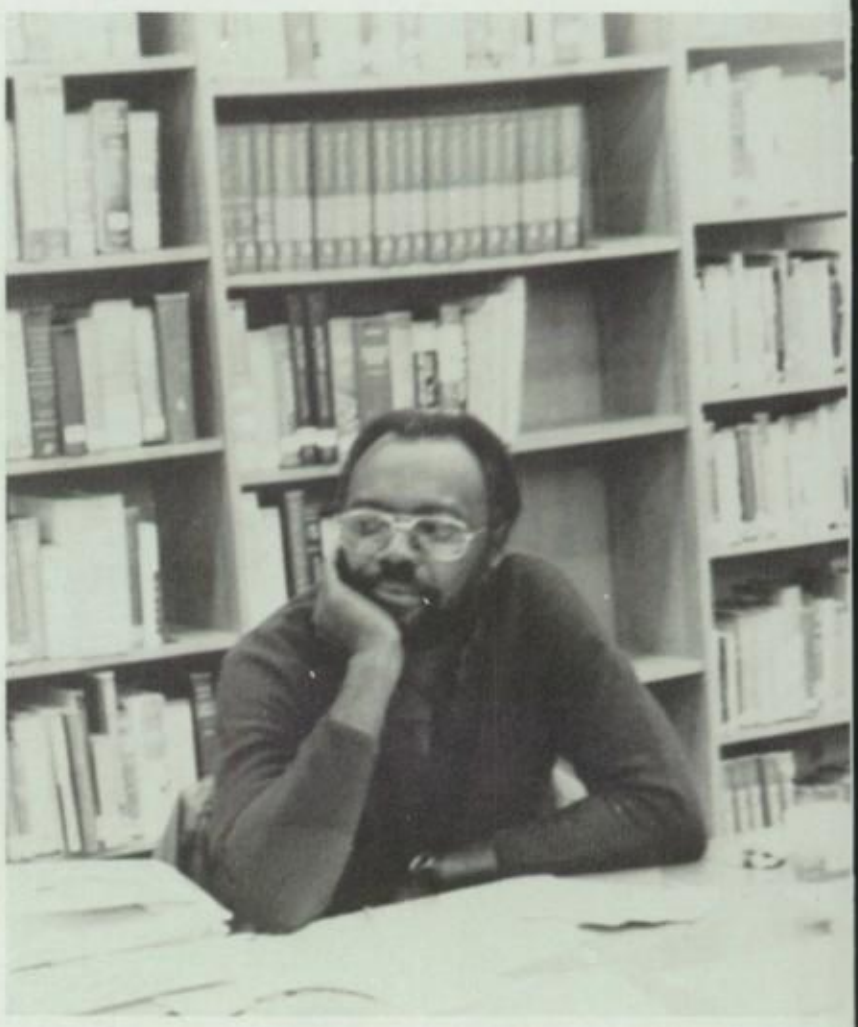
Sr. Peach and her gang, David Thomas, Hershel Reed, Alex Kelly.

Mrs. Harris prepares to serve the hungry Eagles.



Fr. James listening attentively.

Mr. Voelkel gives a big smile.

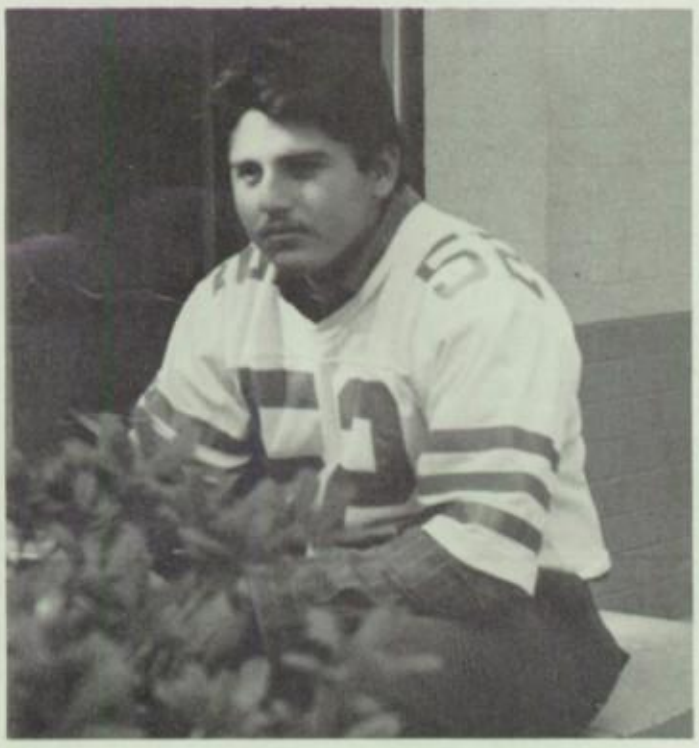
You did not think we would use this picture, did you? (Mr. Gutekanst)

Verbum Dei proudly presents its graduating class of 1985. We are proud of each one of these young men for their individual as well as their collective gifts and talents which help shape every facet of student life.

Four years ago, these young men wondered when it would be their turn to be in the spotlight. Being in the spotlight consists of the privileges of being able to have Senior Square for their own, which means they do not have to share the same turf with underclassmen, not wearing a tie on one day of the week, and most important being looked up to as a role model for underclassmen.

Every day has not been sunshine but without the rain they could not have appreciated the good times they have shared over the years. It is now almost time for them to enter into the world as men of courage and faith. Whatever their future endeavors are, may they be challenging and rewarding. Remember to always move ahead and let nothing hold you back from your goals.

May God Bless.
The editor



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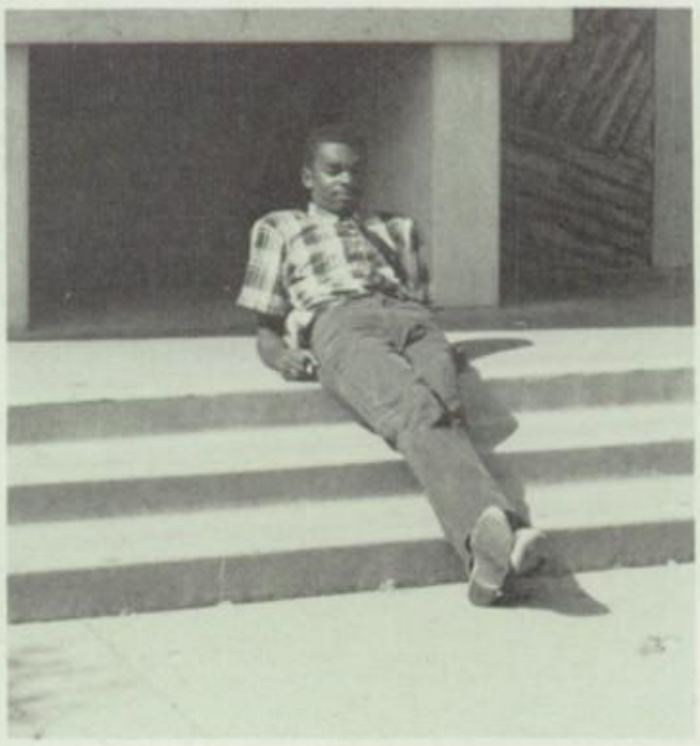

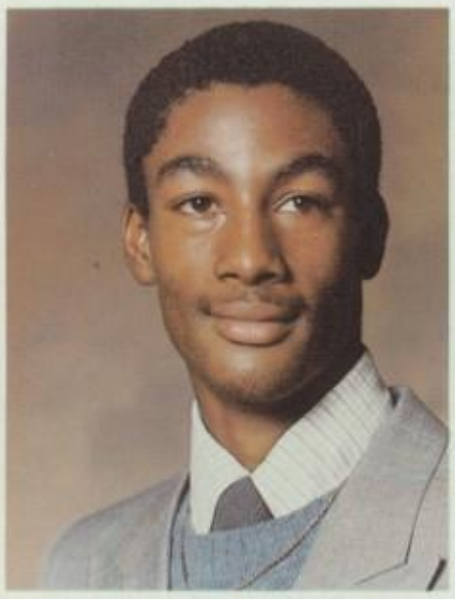

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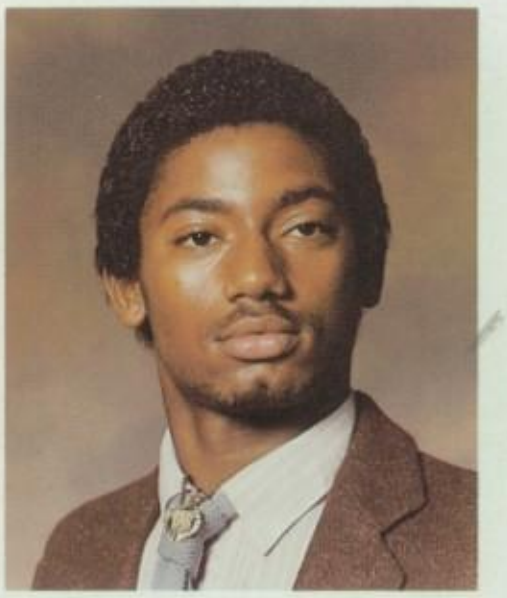

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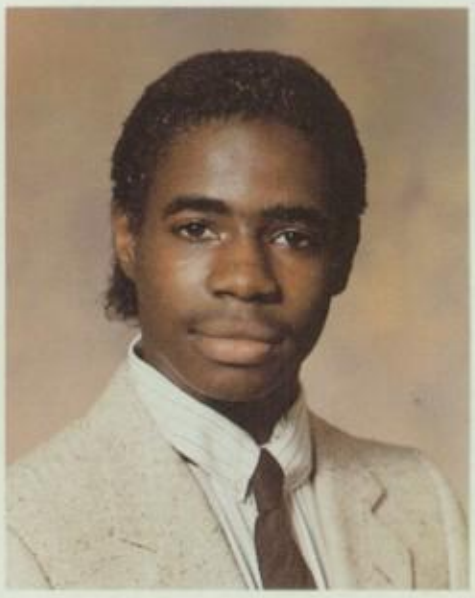

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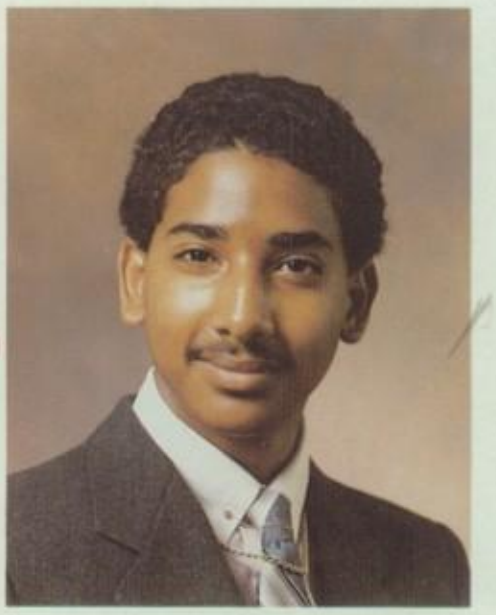
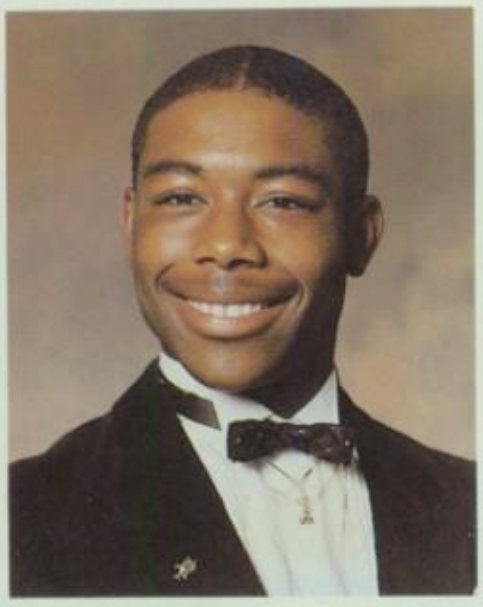
Norman Bantom

Kenneth Blankenship

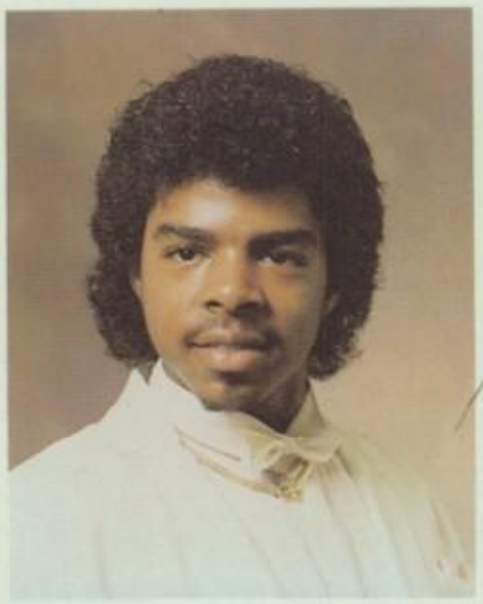


LeRon Broussard

Robert Butler



Xavier Clewis



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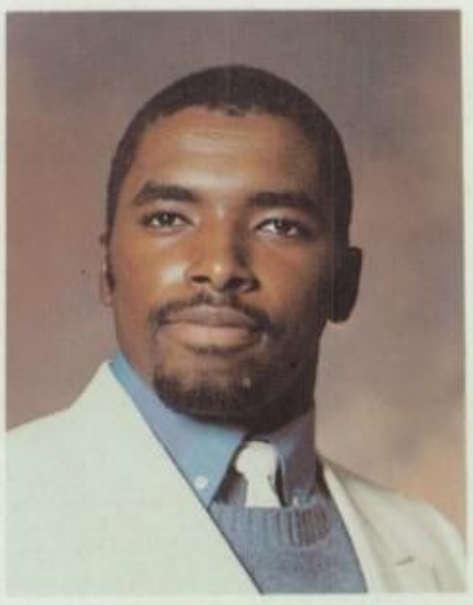
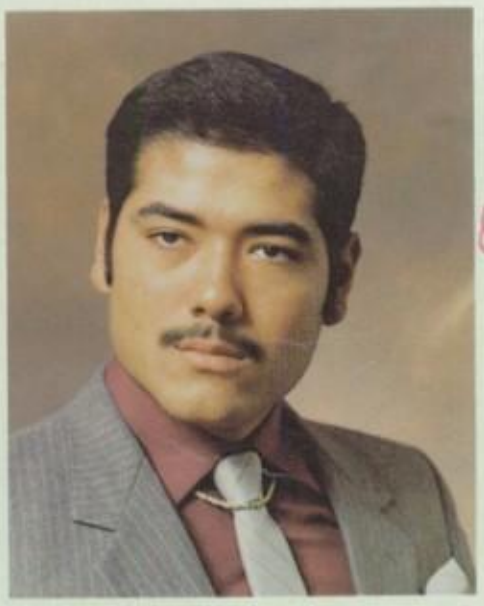


Jeffery Edwards



Edward Favela

CLASS OF 1985 . . .

Edward Favela and Andrew Towles pose together for a candid shot.

Damond Redmond smiles cheerfully.

Above- Chris Garrett and Robert Butler share a happy moment during lunch. Right- Larry Williams and Kenneth Blankenship converse.

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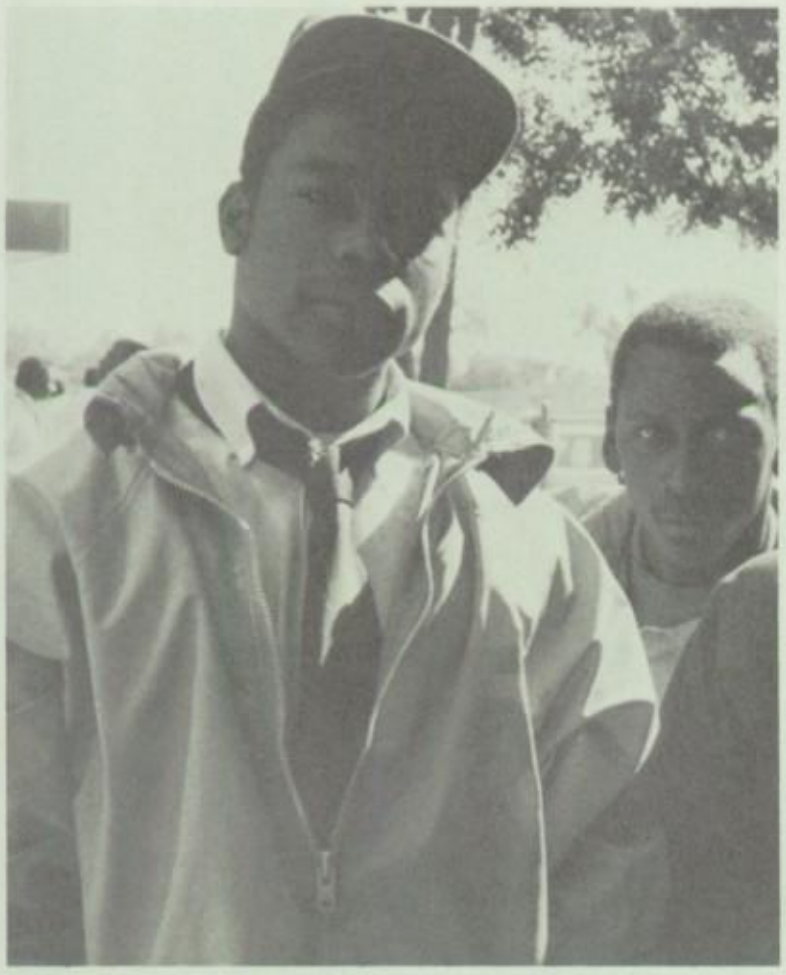
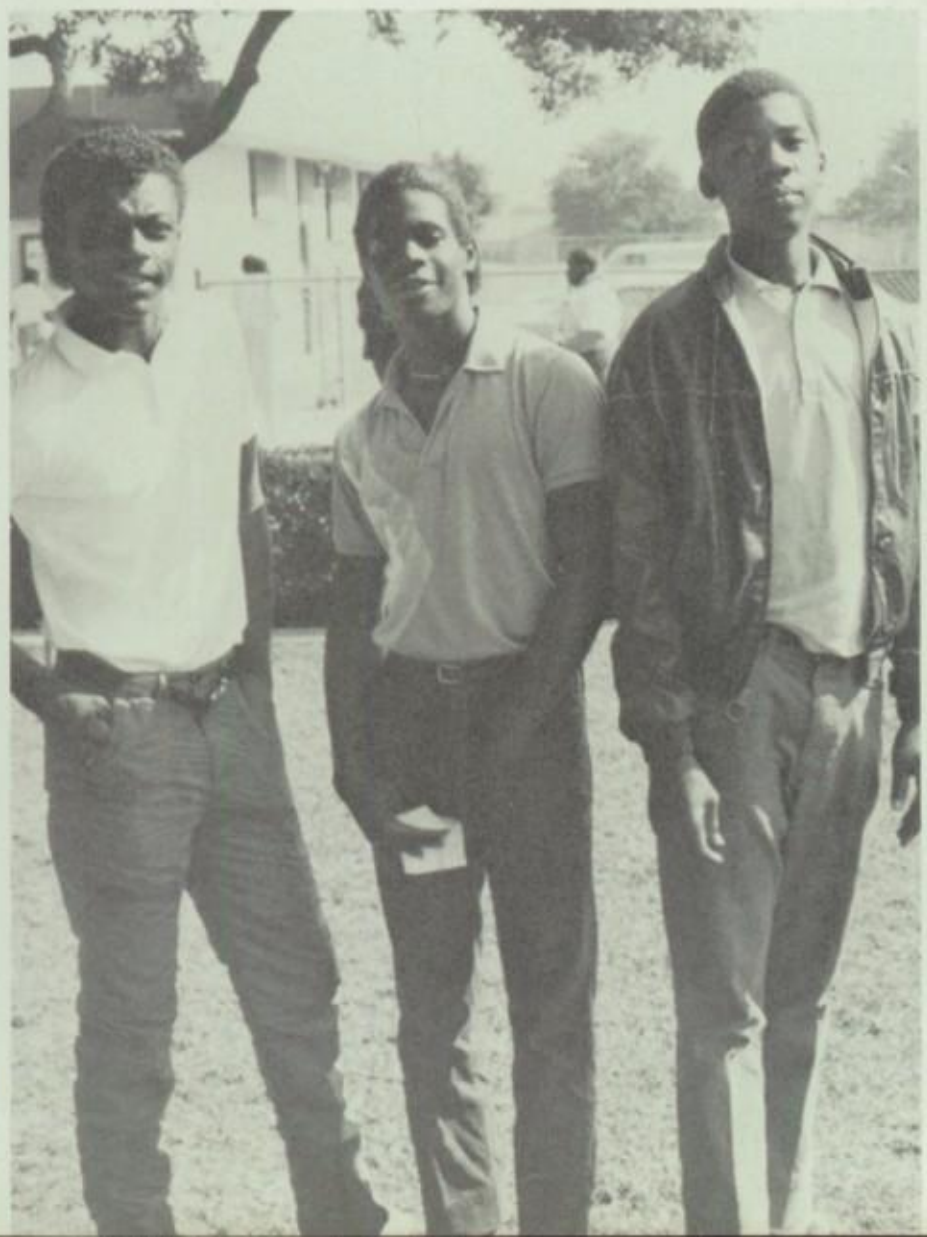
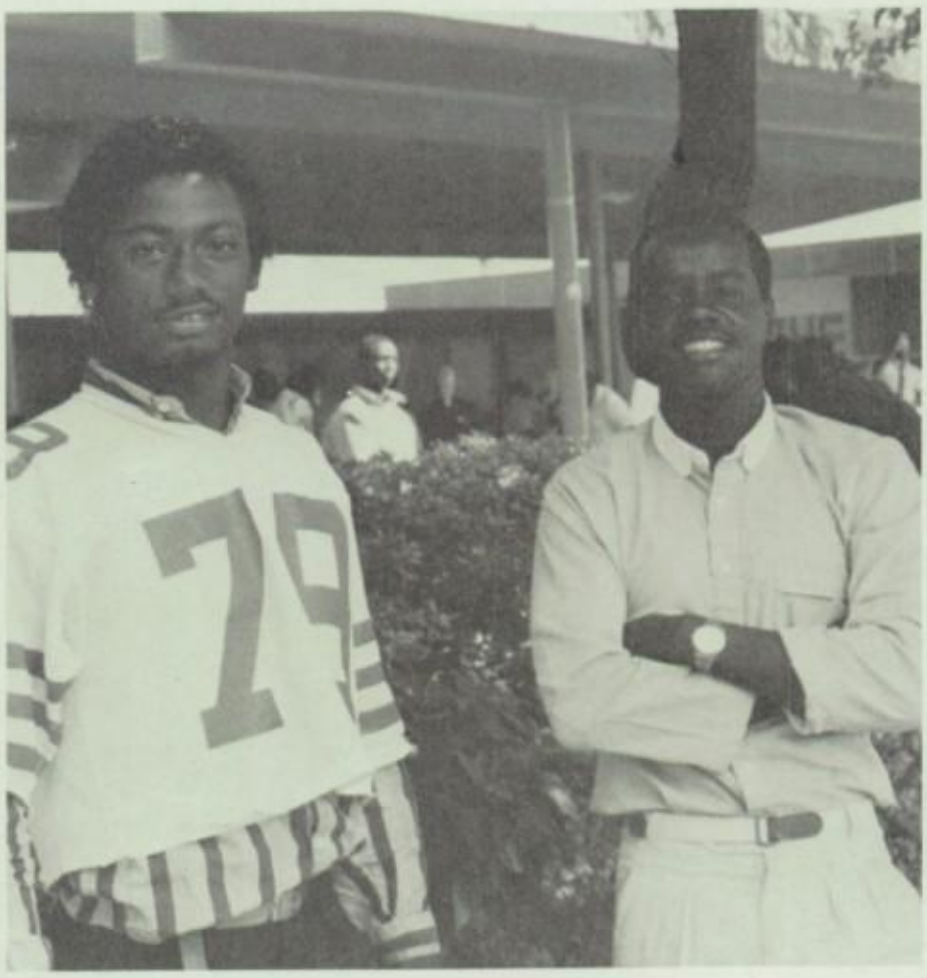


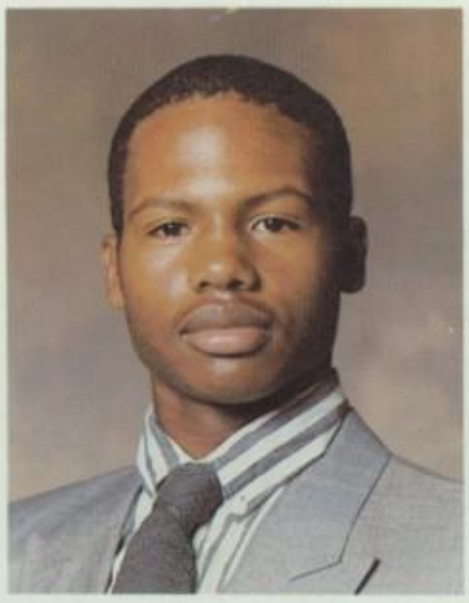
Heuston Castillo and Marcus Dorris look solemnly at the camera.

Charro Sargent, LeRon Broussard, and Xavier Clewis take time for a picture after a pep rally.

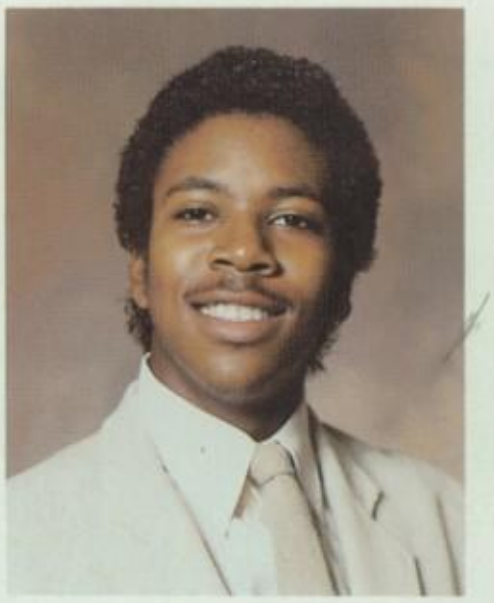




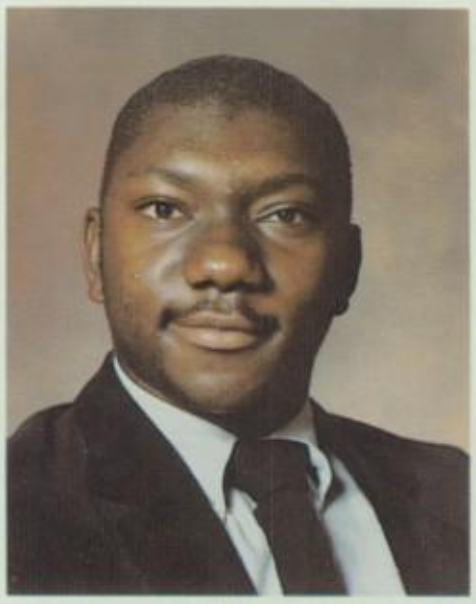
Above - Lanon Atchison and Andrew Taylor smile as they pose for a brief candid at lunchtime. Left- Terry Williams, Eric Baker, and Timothy Mosley look "cool" in the Senior Square at lunchtime.



Lorenzo Forby



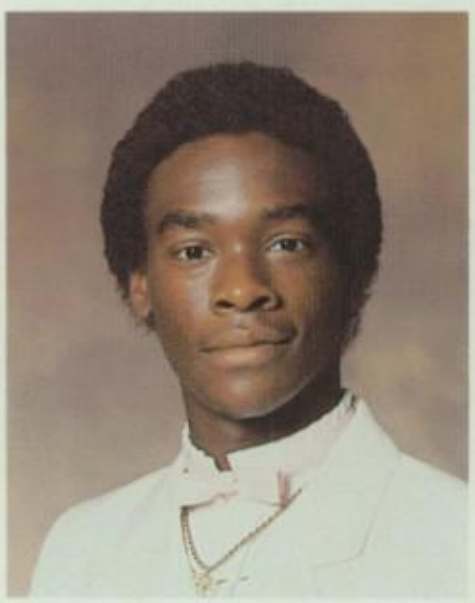
Dennis Fulmore



Christopher Garrett

Sean Gaston

Ralph Gibbs



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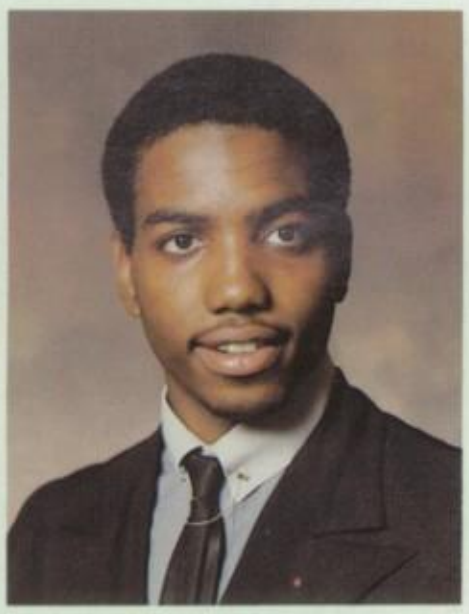
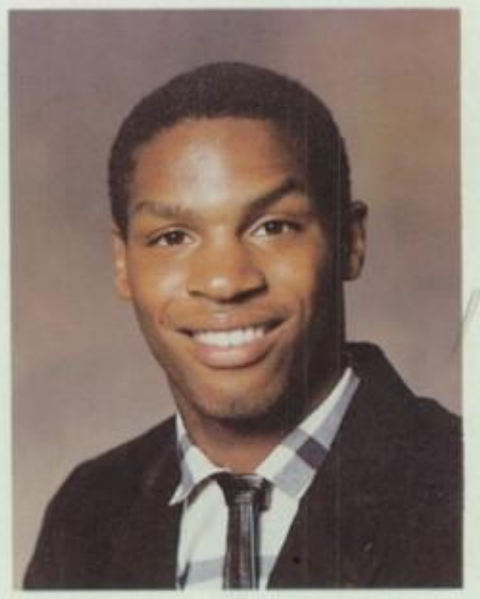


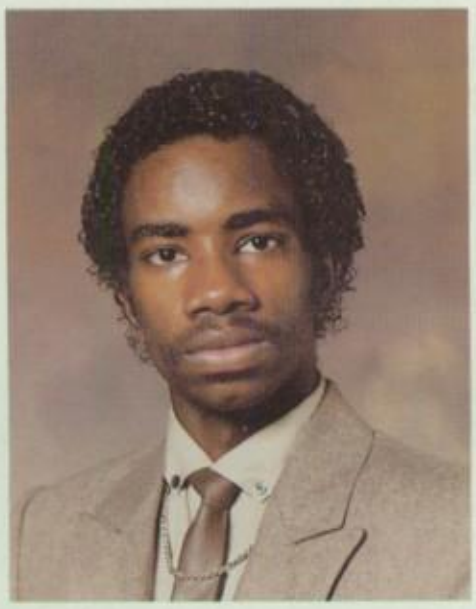
Todd Hanzy

Lawrence Hasten

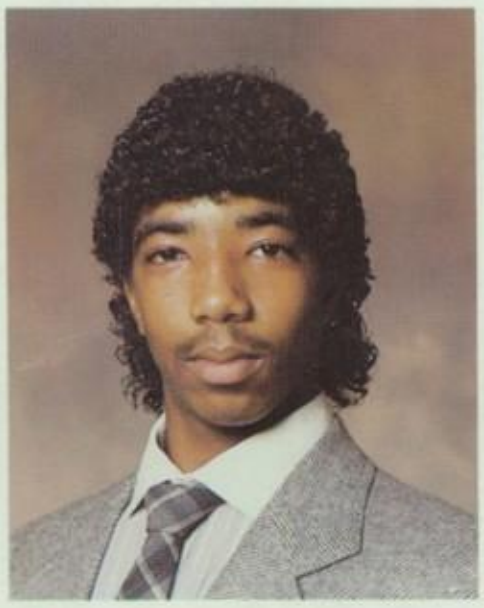
Javis Johnson



Larry Jones

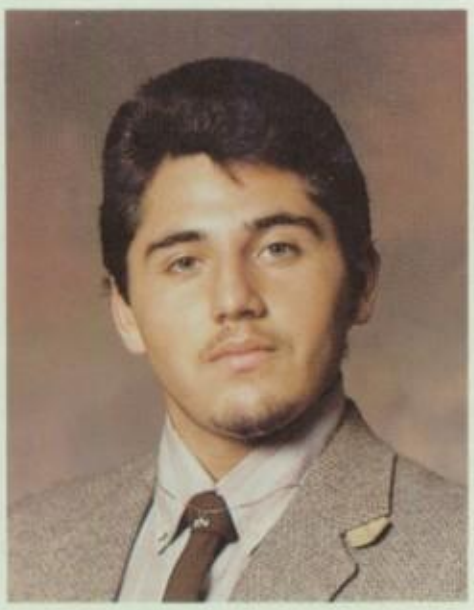


Robert Jones

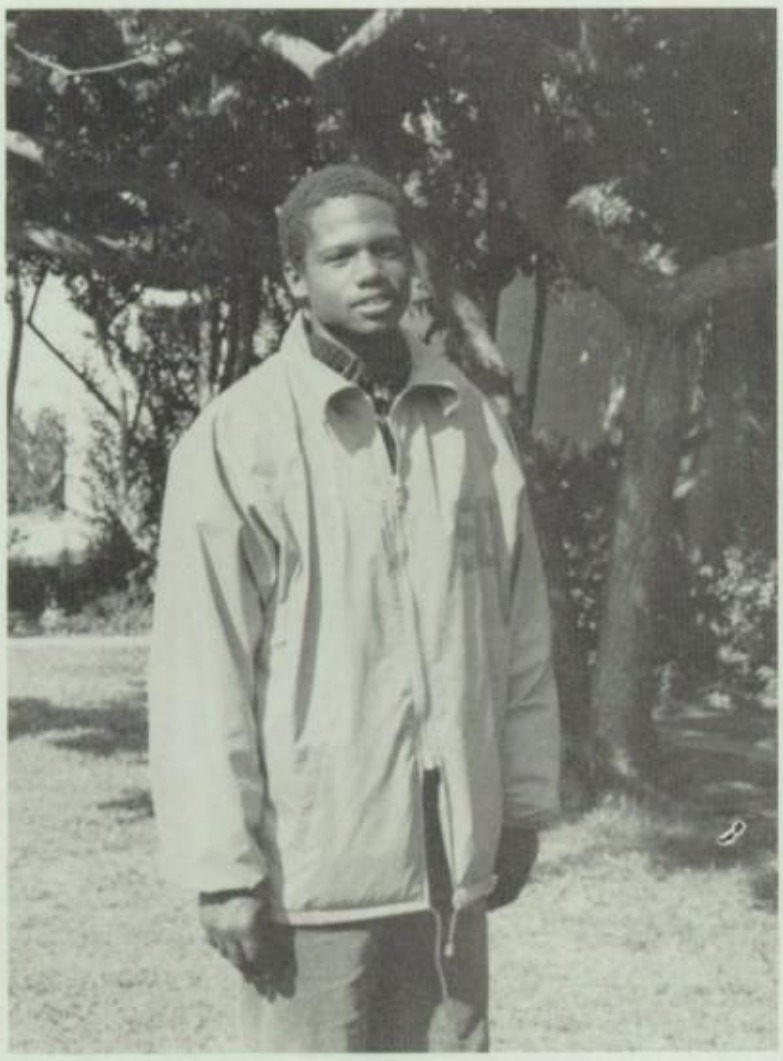


Lamont Landers

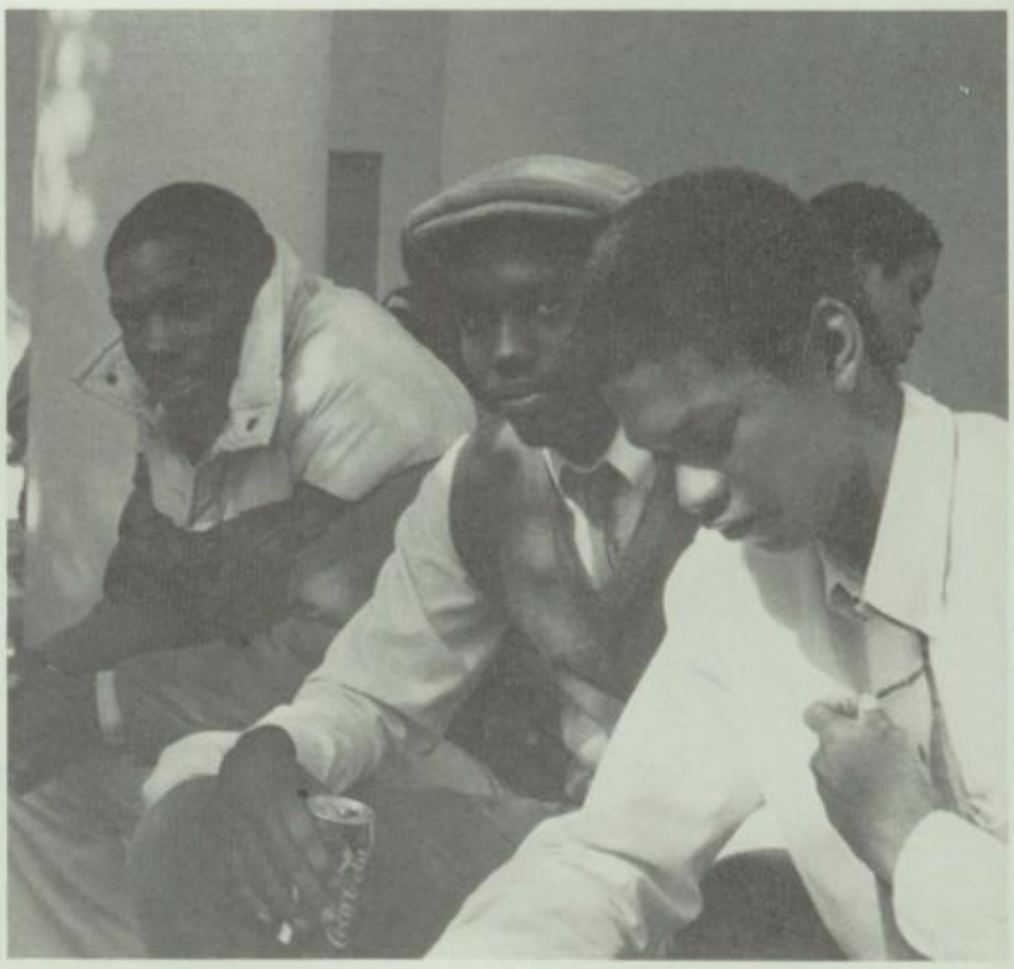
Eric McCullough



Richard Madrid

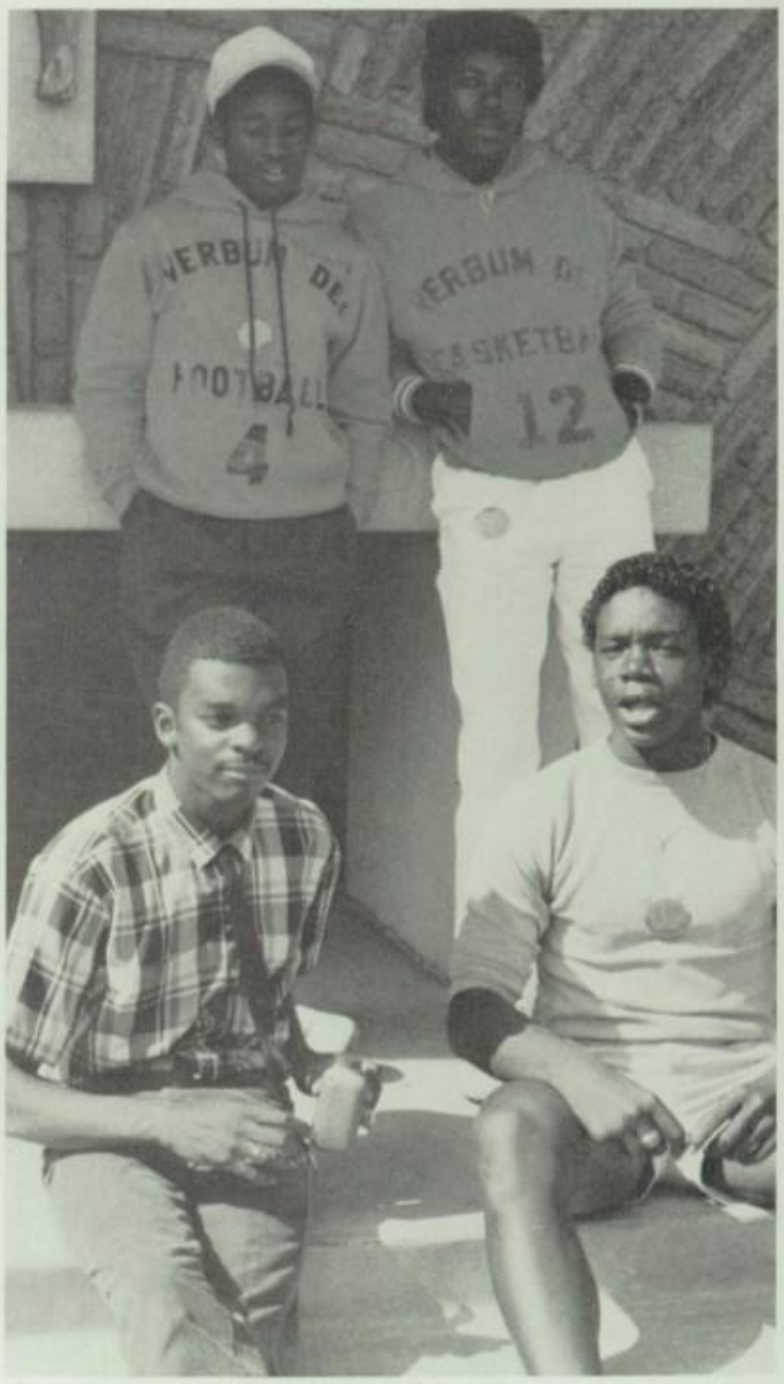


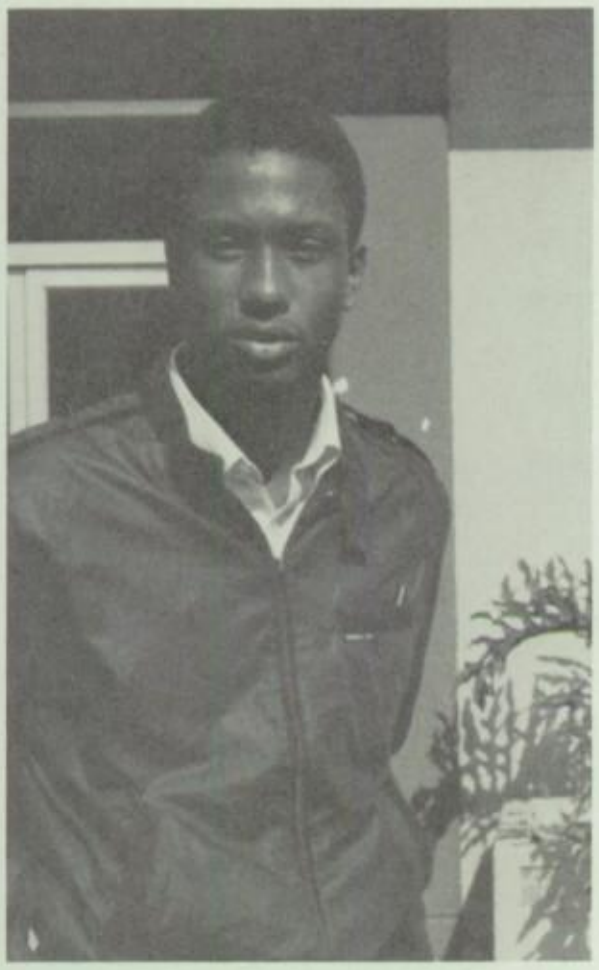
Above- Lorenzo Forby smiles for the camera.



Above- Larry Jones, Todd Hanzy, and Chris Mallet sit and converse during the lunch period.

Above- Eric McCullough and David Thomas enjoy lunch in the Senior Square. Right- (clockwise) Dennis Fulmore, Tyrone Davis, Hershel Reed, and Obery Smith.





Javis Johnson looks cautiously at the camera.

Travion Watson, Lamont Landers, and Conrad Harmon stop their eating in order to pose for a picture.

Sean Gaston and Oriale Preston look very bored and tired as this candid shot was being taken.

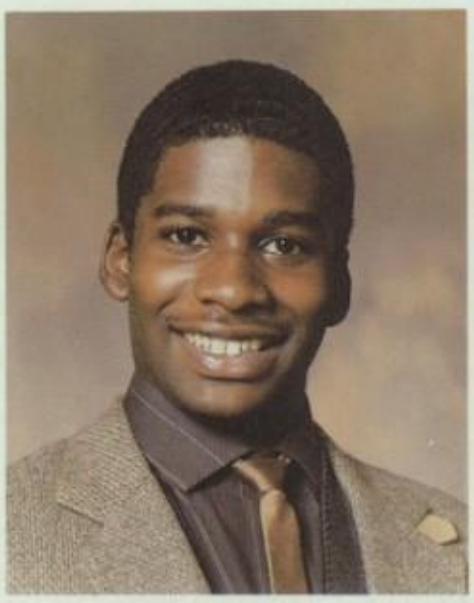
Reginald Thomas blocks out the bright rays with his specs.

Tracy Mills

Timothy Mosley

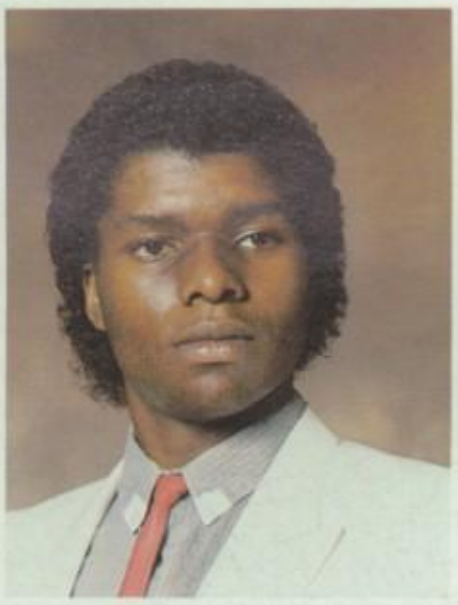
Shawn Murray

Dempsey Nolan

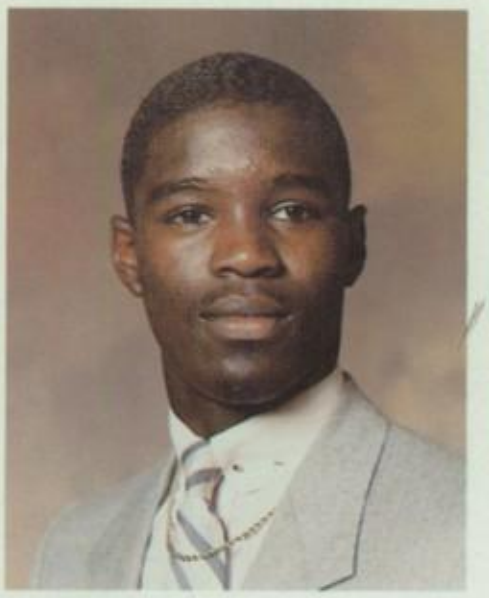


Michael Preston

Oriale Preston



Steven Pyles



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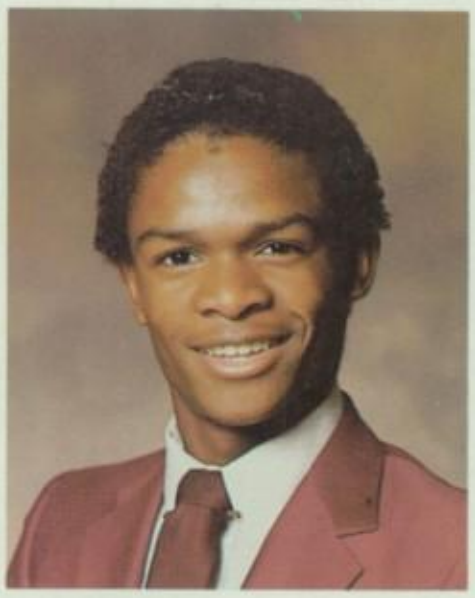

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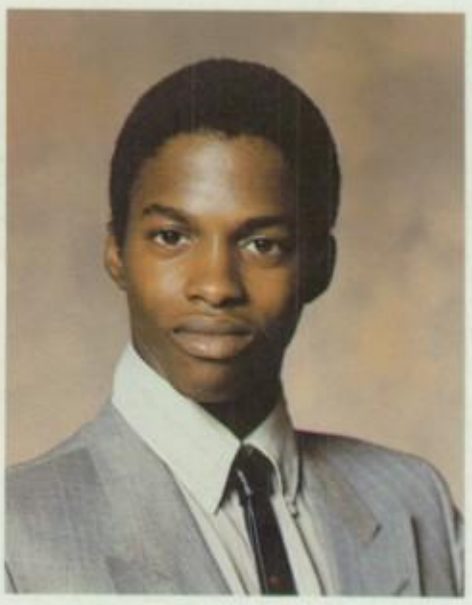

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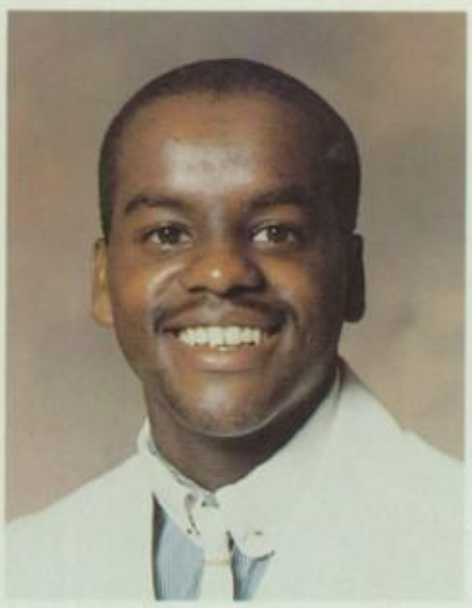

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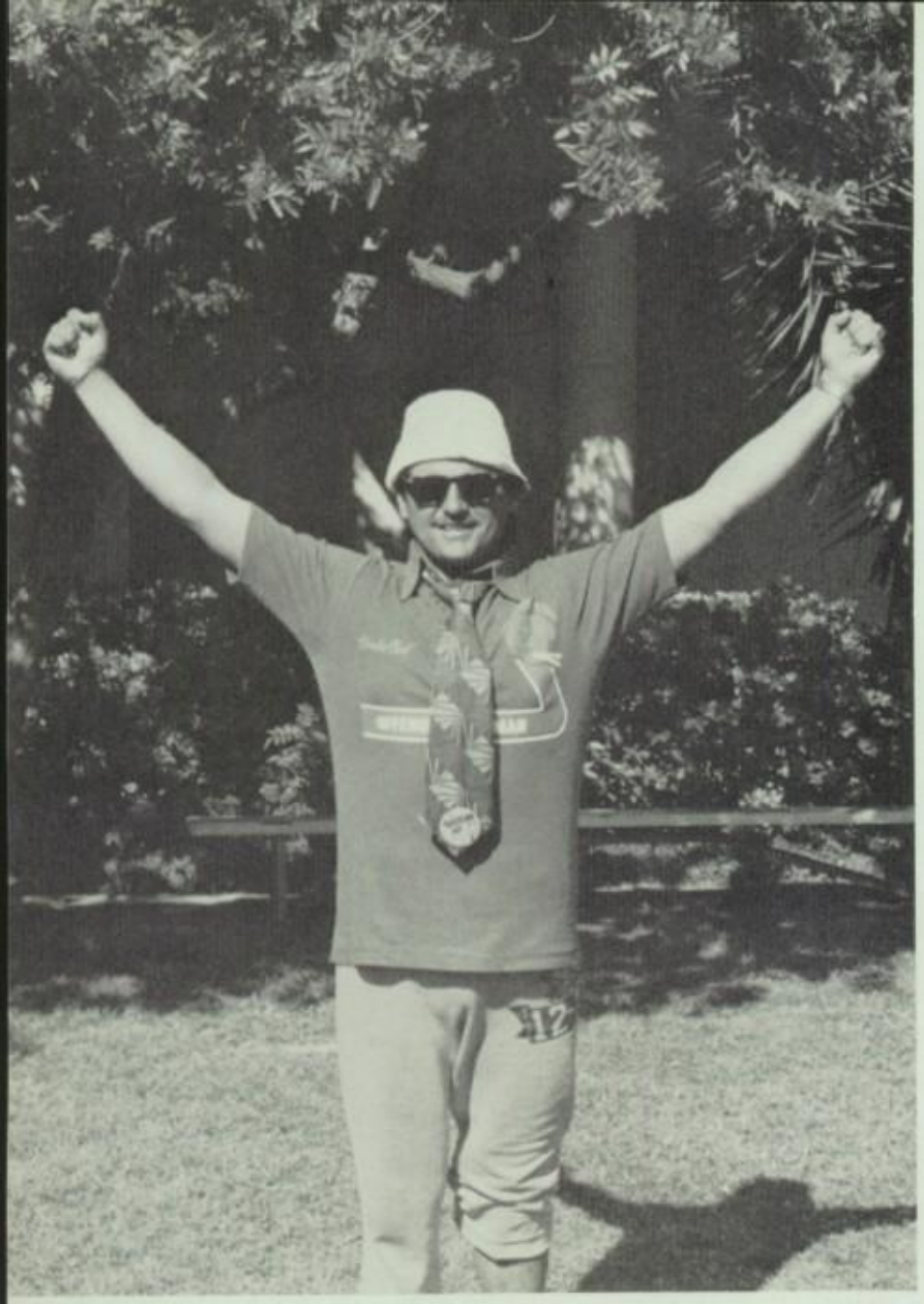
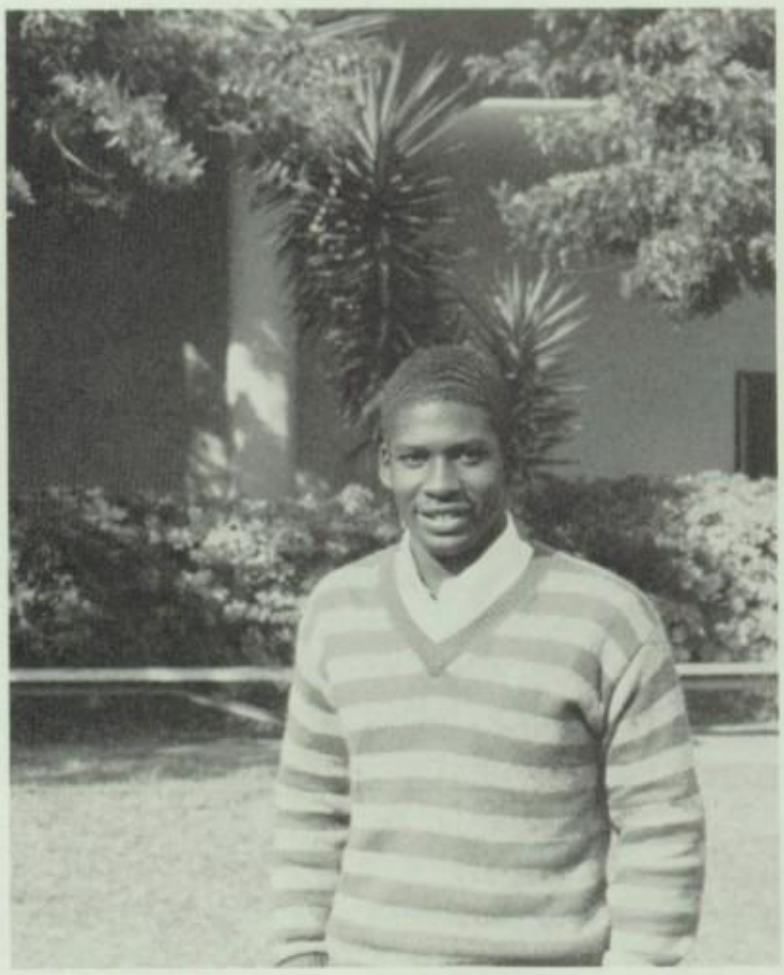
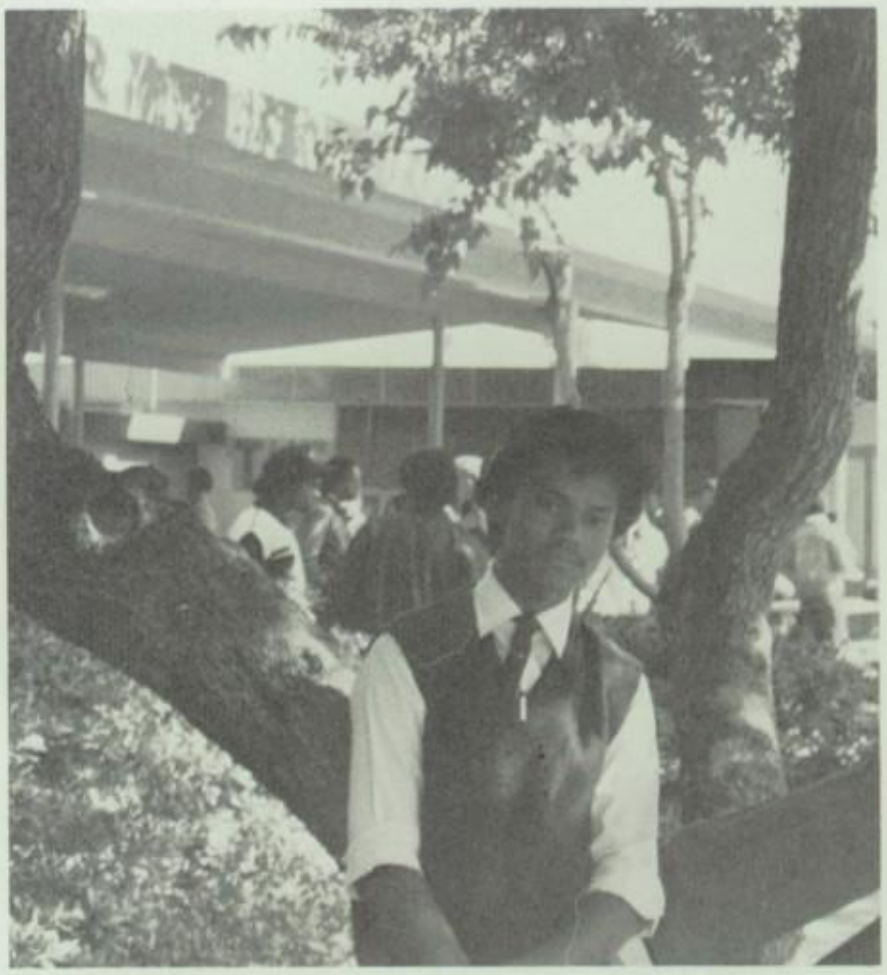
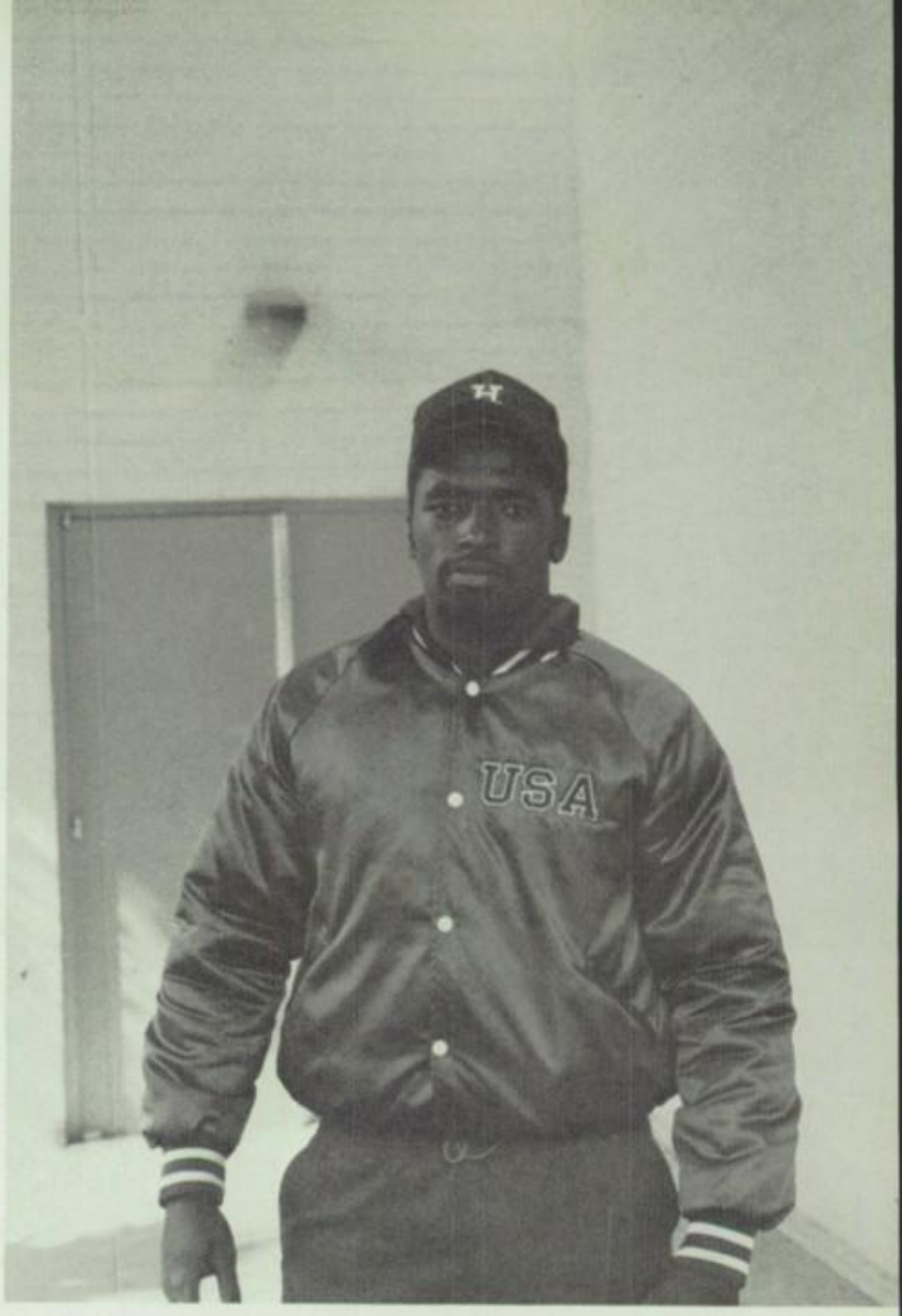




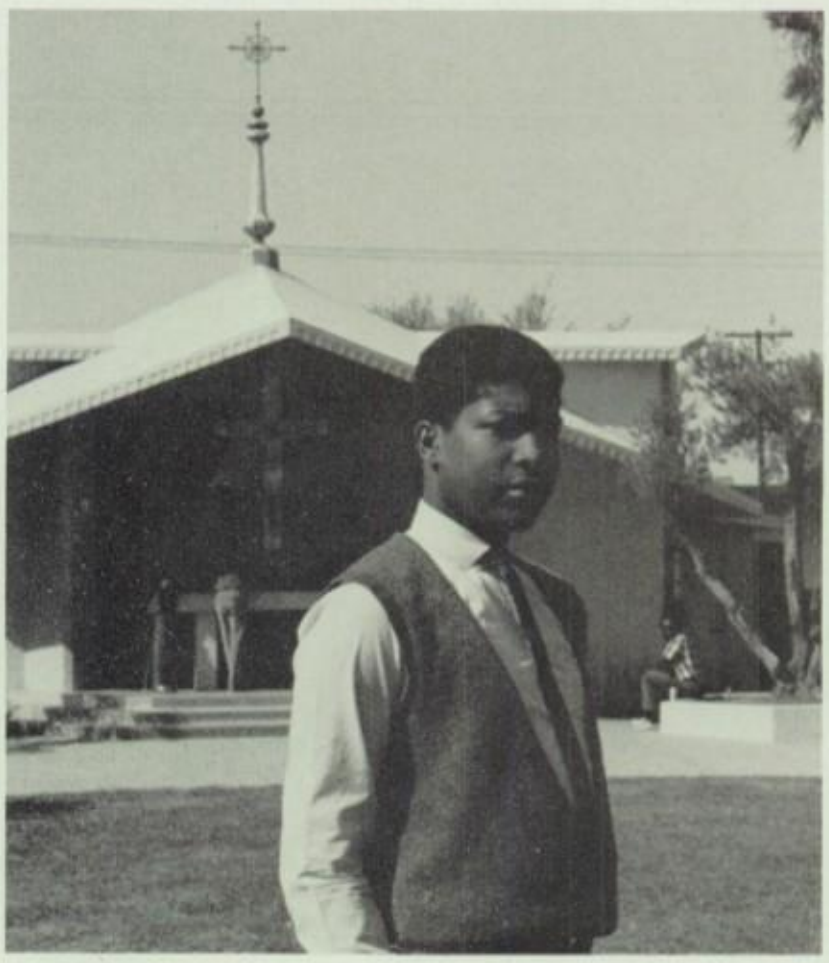
Left- Senior class moderator Elio Mendoza clowns around on "Tramp Day" during Homecoming week. Above- Michael Preston poses for picture after school in the Senior Square.



Left- Robert Jones displays his "cool" look for the photographer. Above- John Van Hees relaxes in the shade of a tree.



Above- Sean Gaston and Lamont Landers are conducting a crucial experiment for chemistry. Of course, by the smirks on their faces you can tell it's not too crucial. Right- Jeff Edwards is wondering what's going on as his picture is taken during lunchtime.



Above- Richard Madrid maintains a serious face while his picture is taken when he is off guard. Surprise! Right- Tommie Smith gets a scenic background while he poses for this picture.

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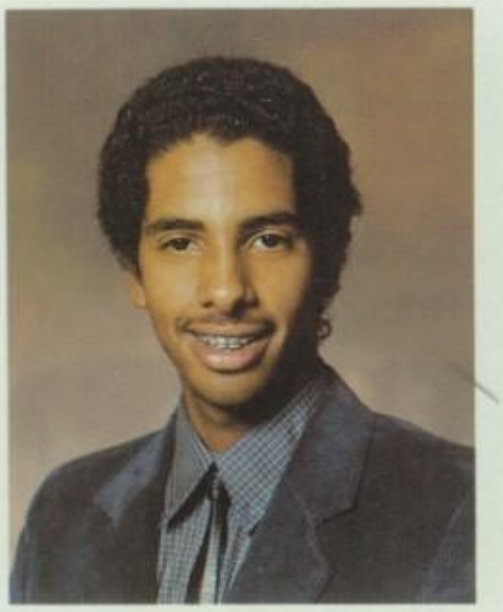

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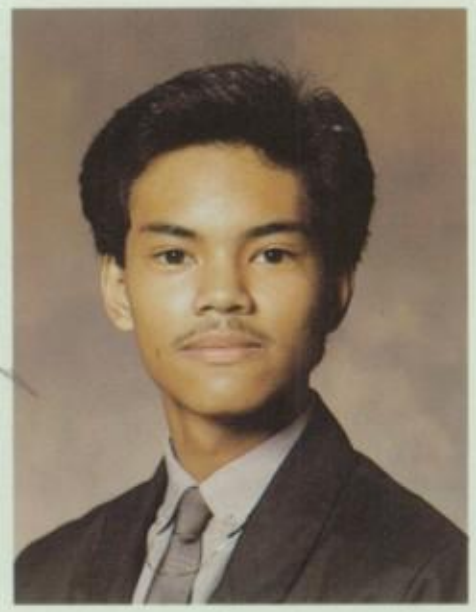

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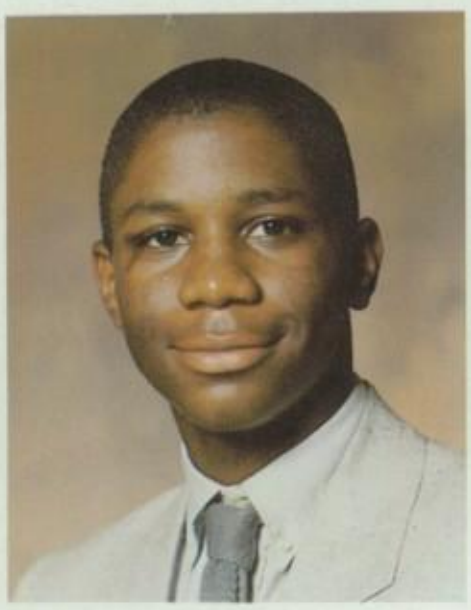

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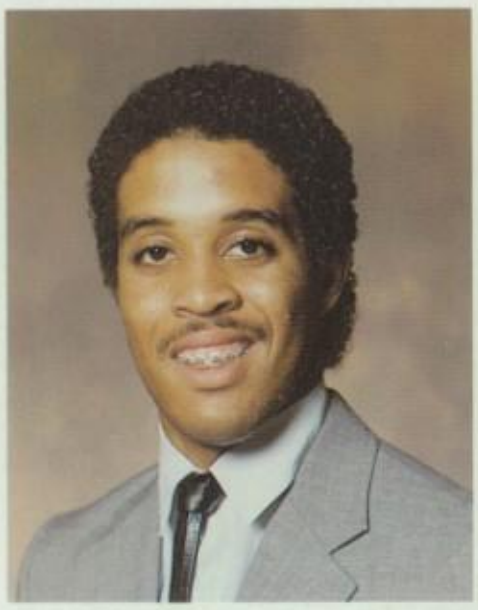

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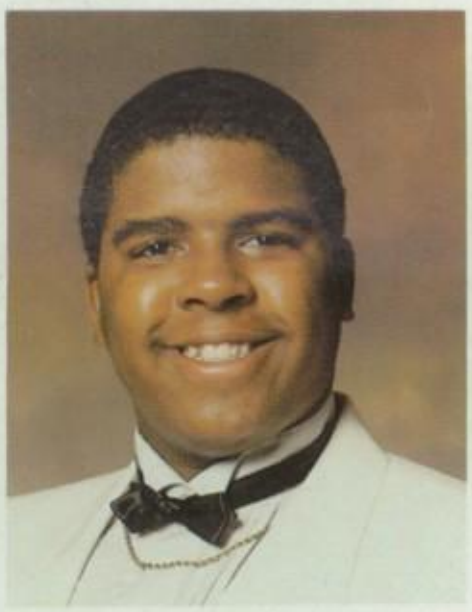

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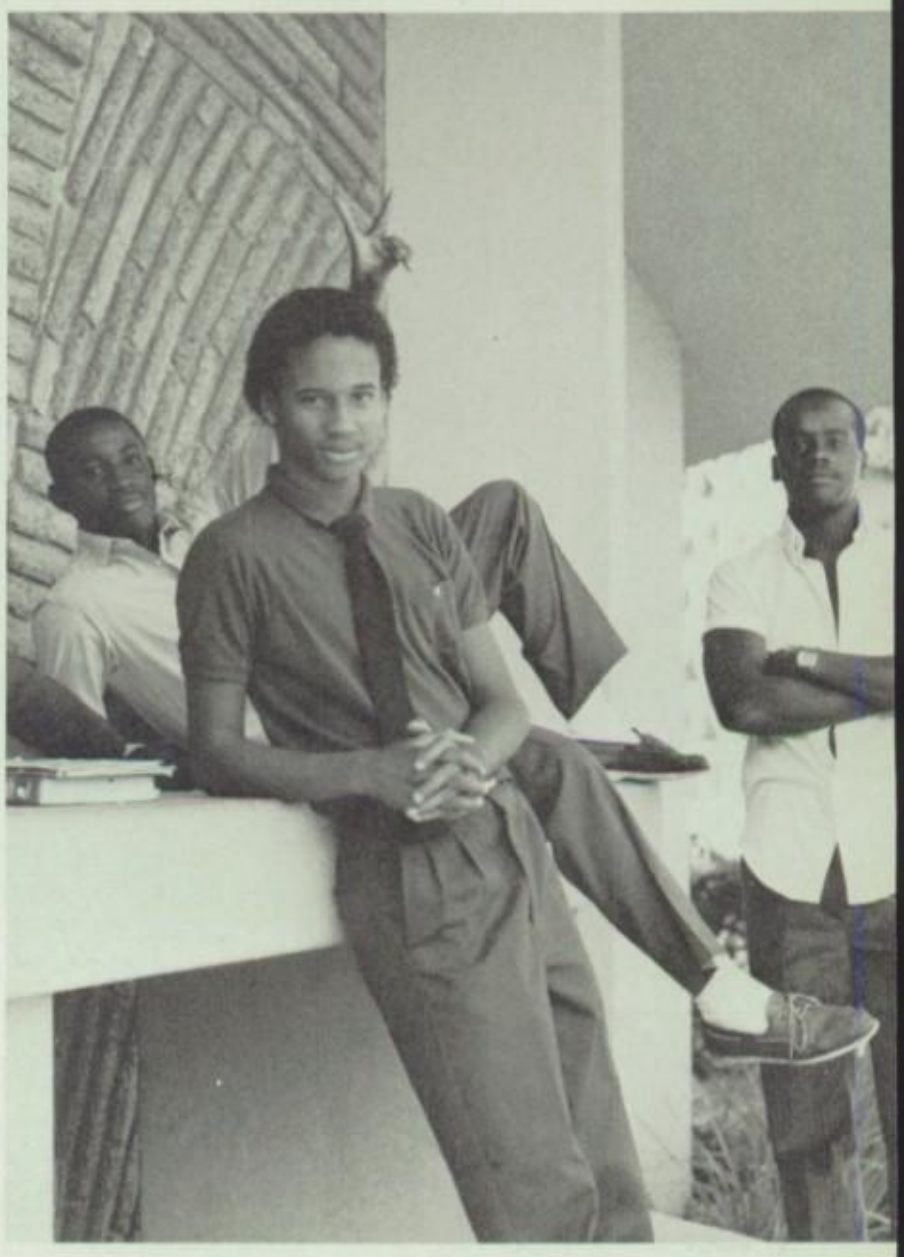

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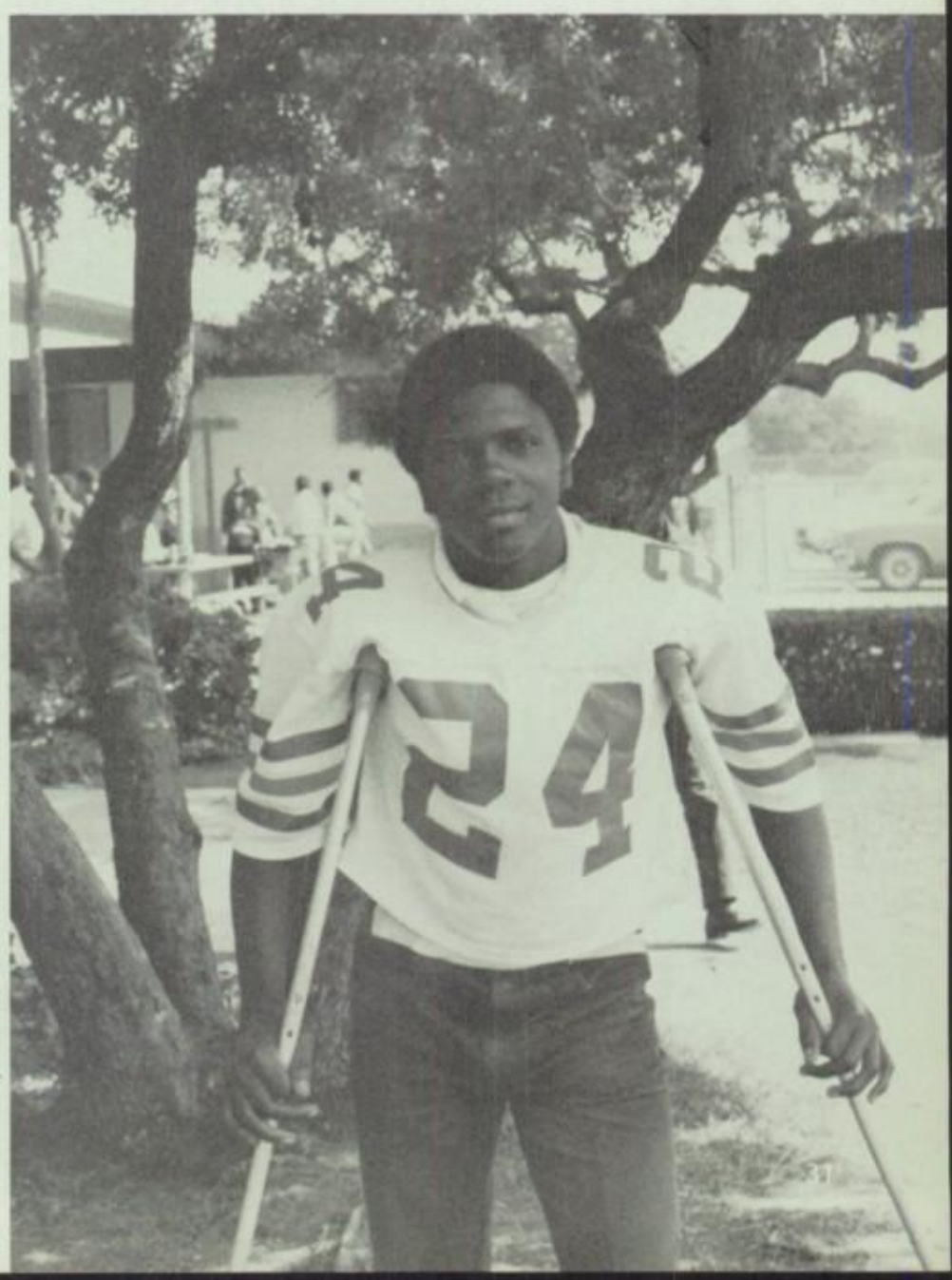

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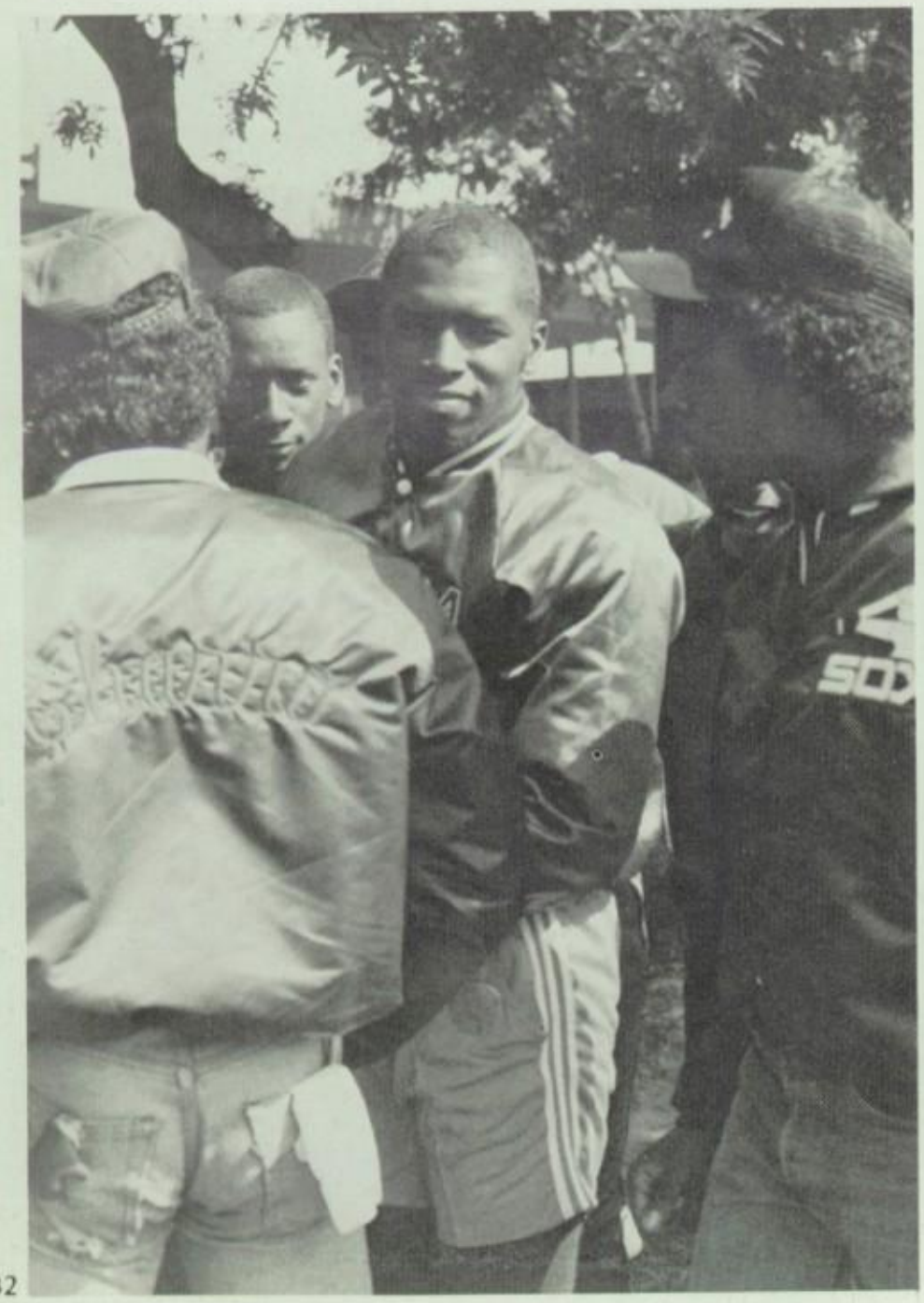

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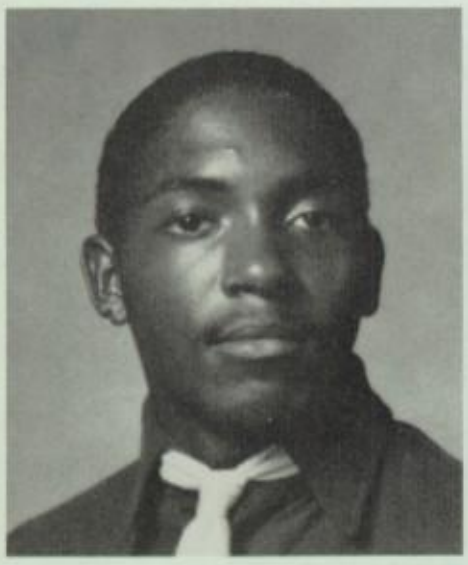

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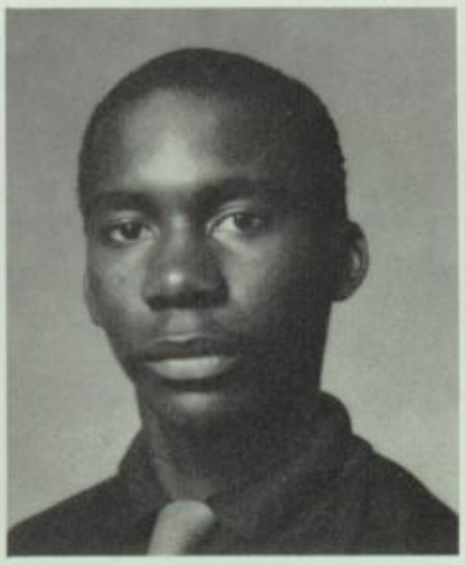

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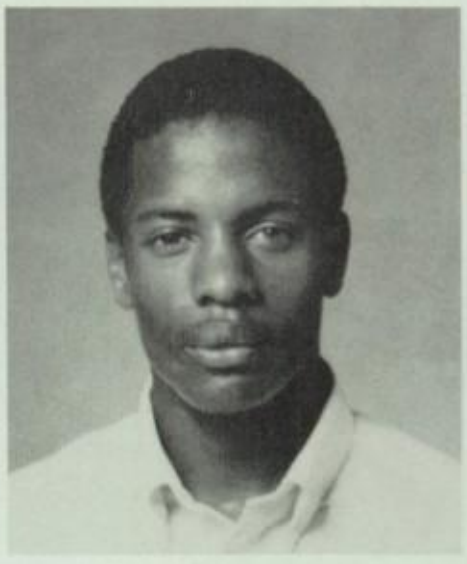

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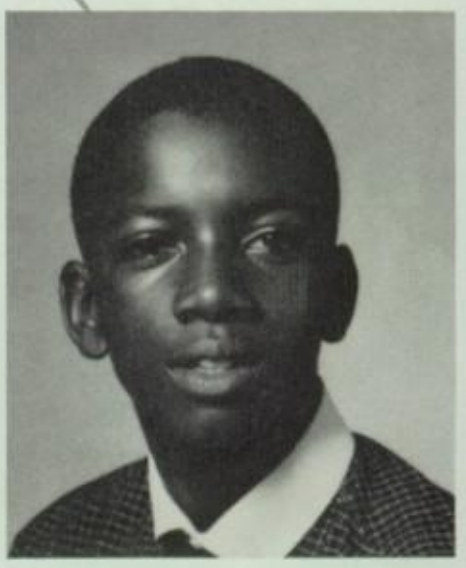

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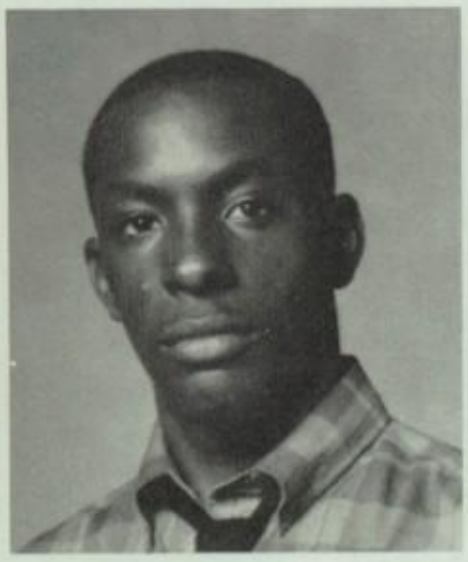

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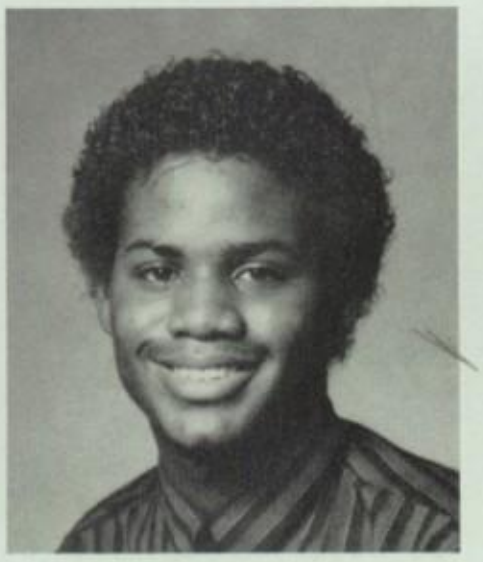

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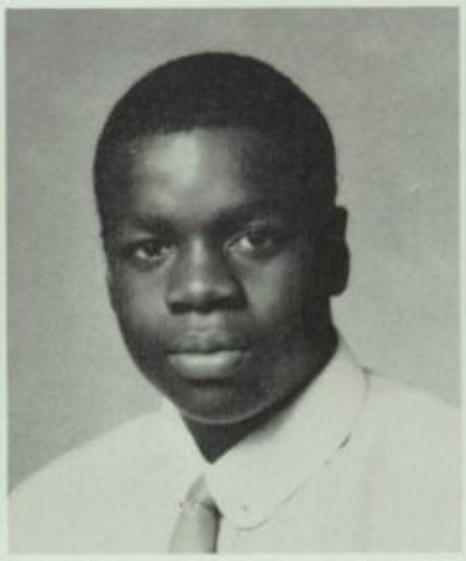

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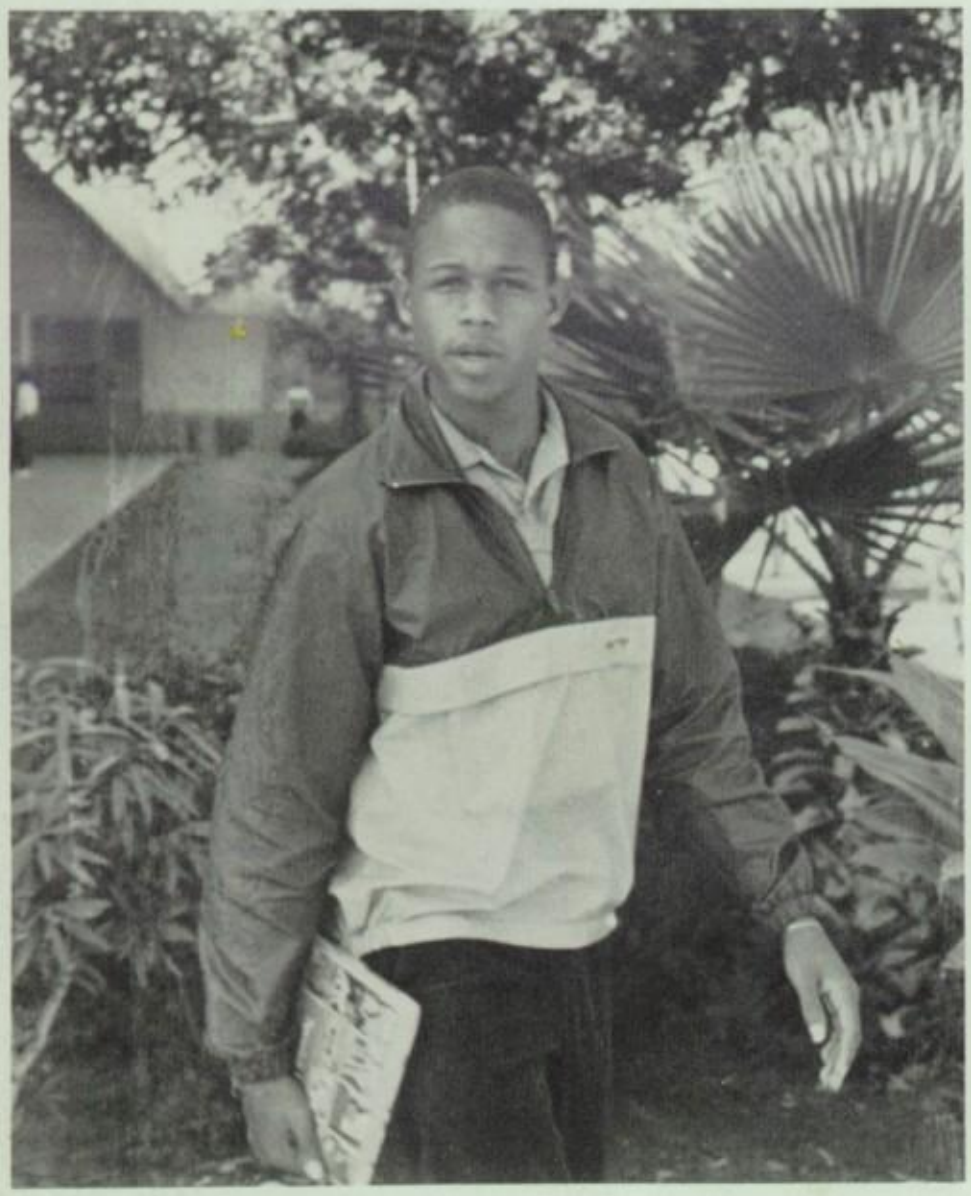

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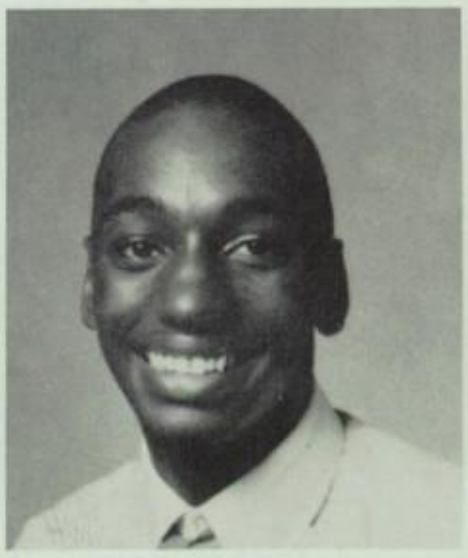

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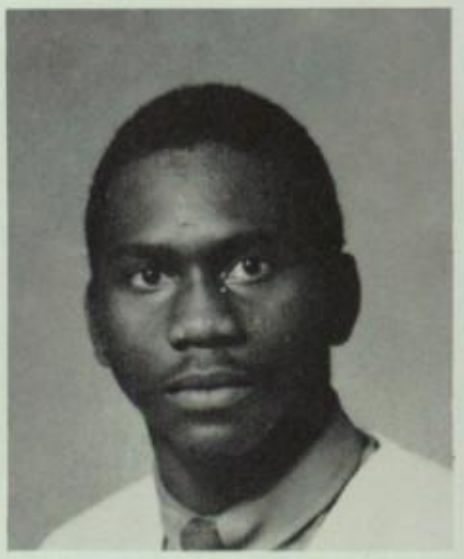

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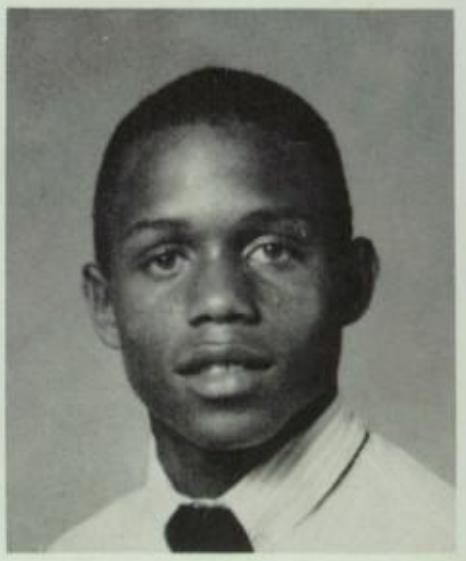

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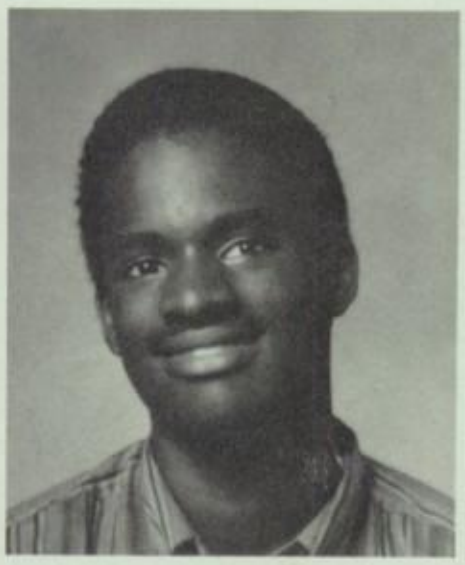

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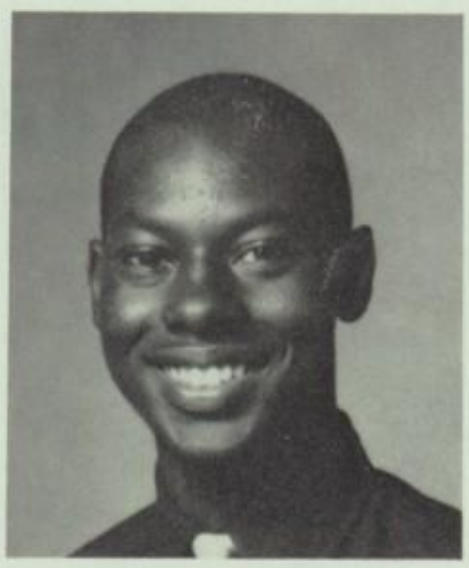

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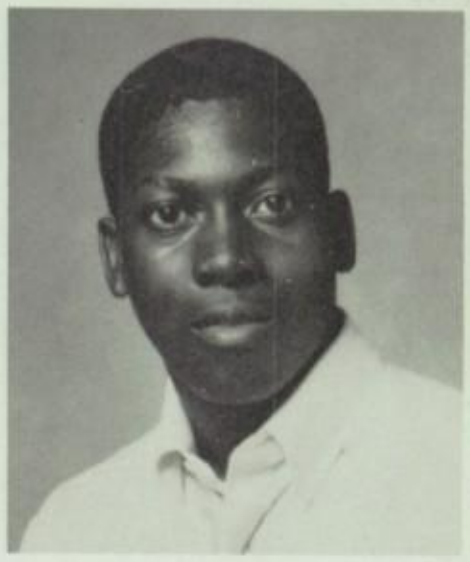

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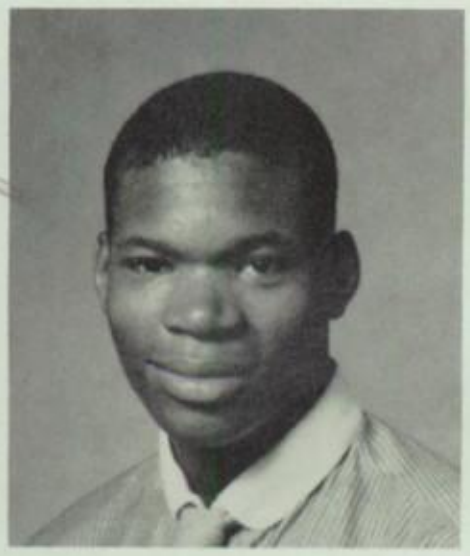

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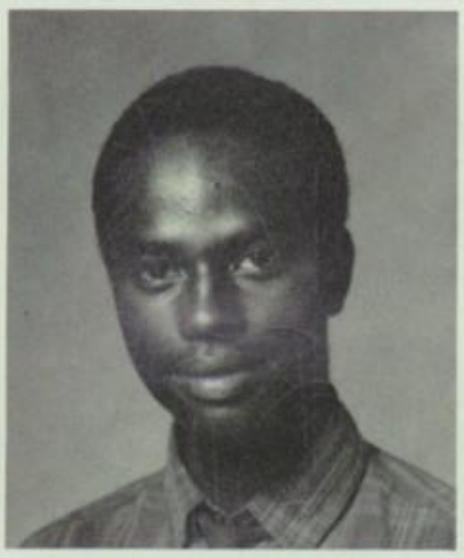

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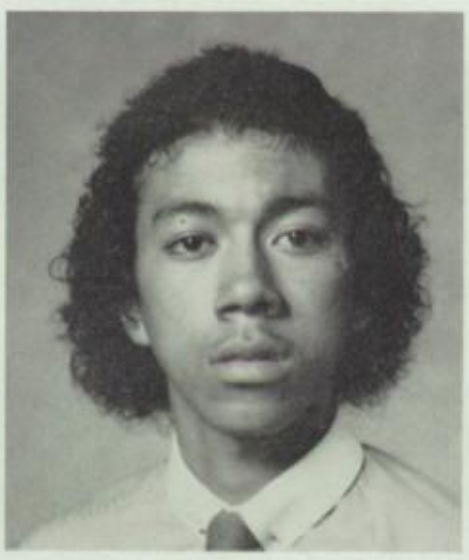

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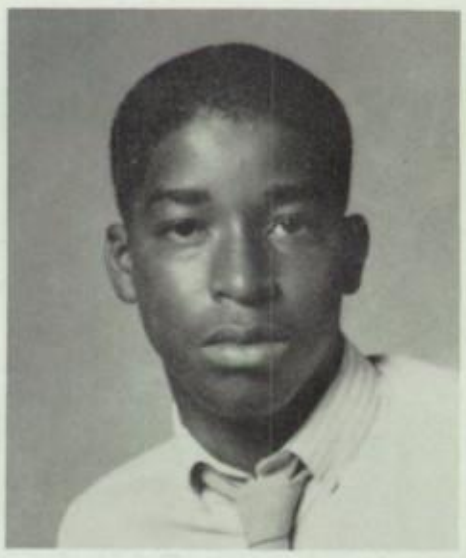

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Juniors, Chris Bush, Kyle Williams, and Dwight Kaufman converse during the lunch break.

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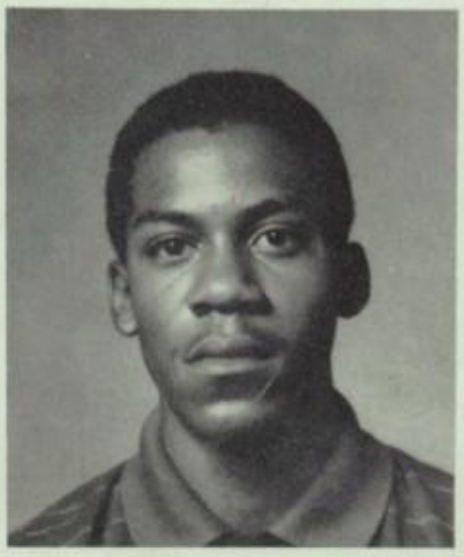

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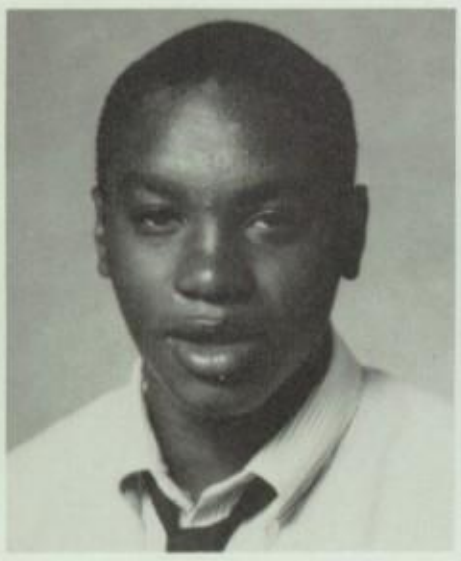

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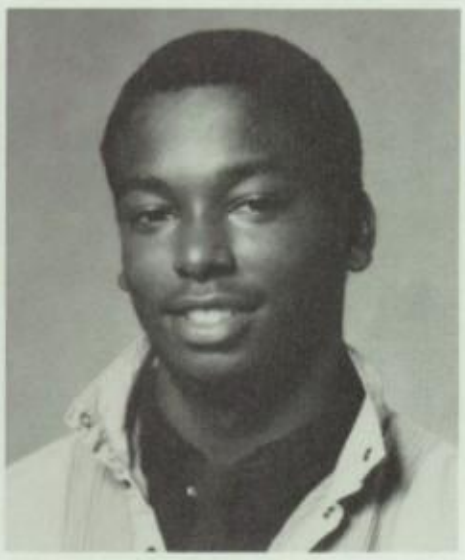

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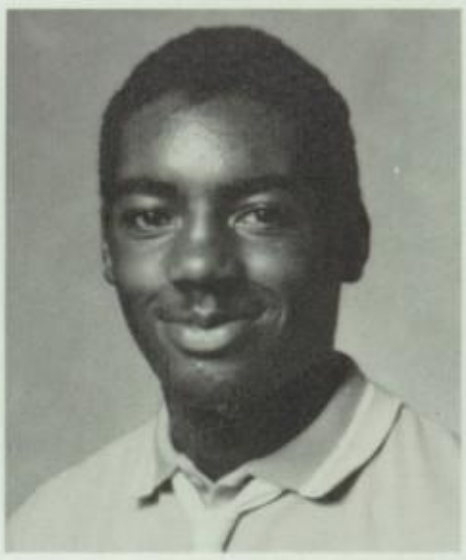

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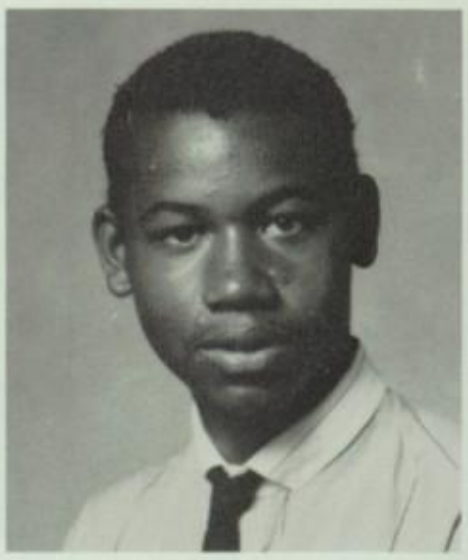

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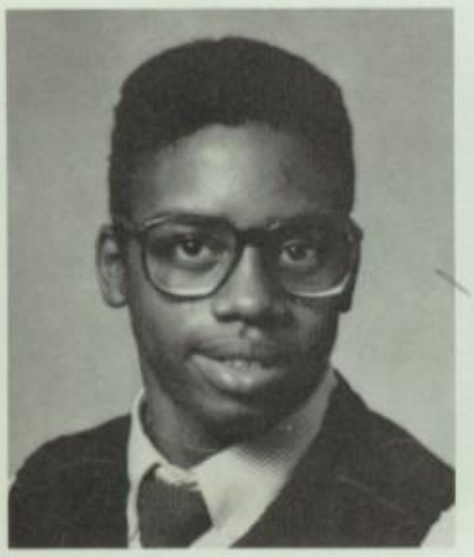

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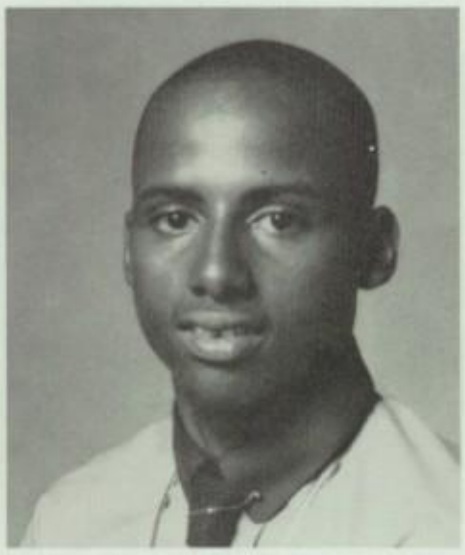

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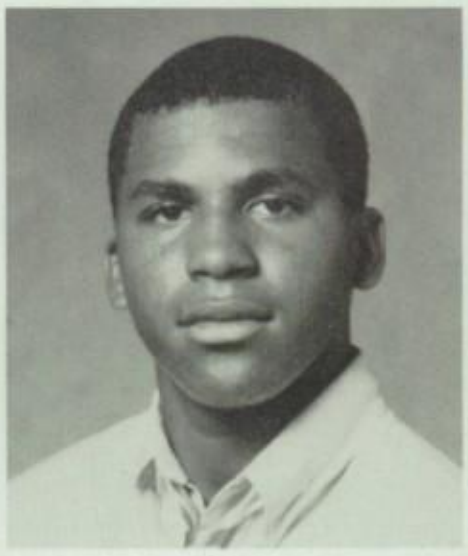

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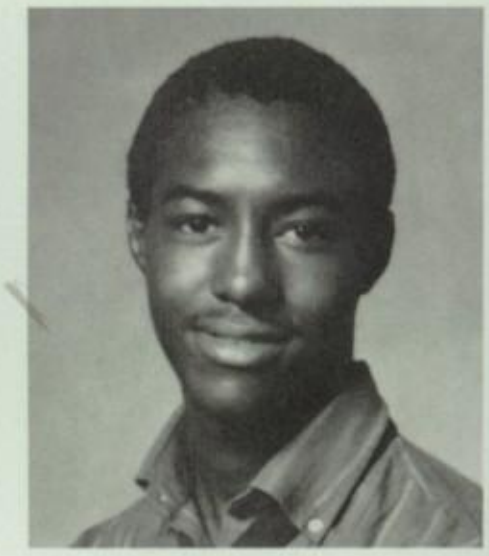

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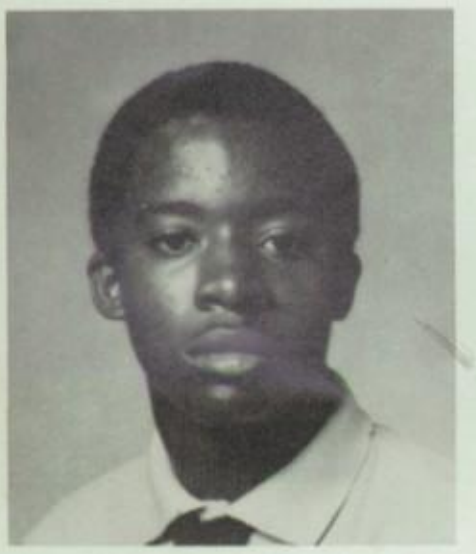

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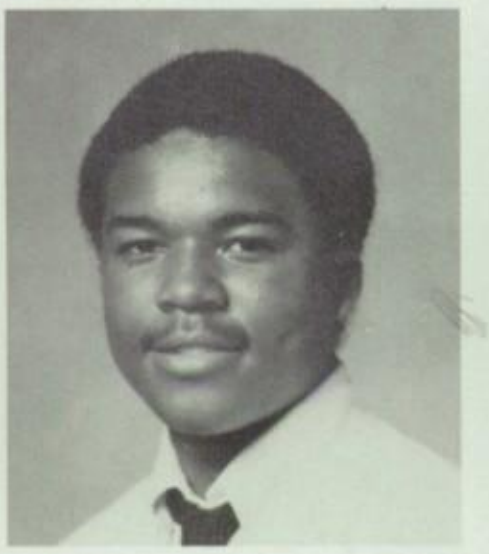

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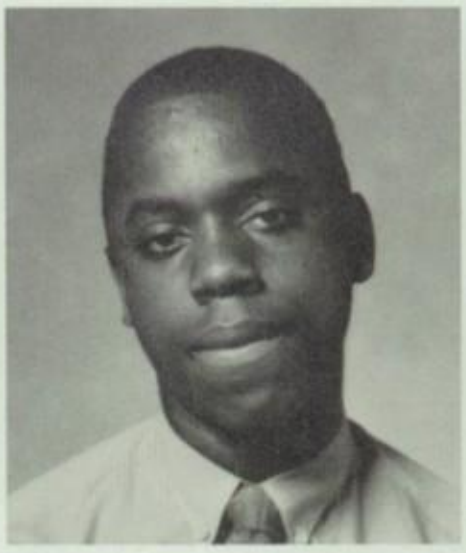

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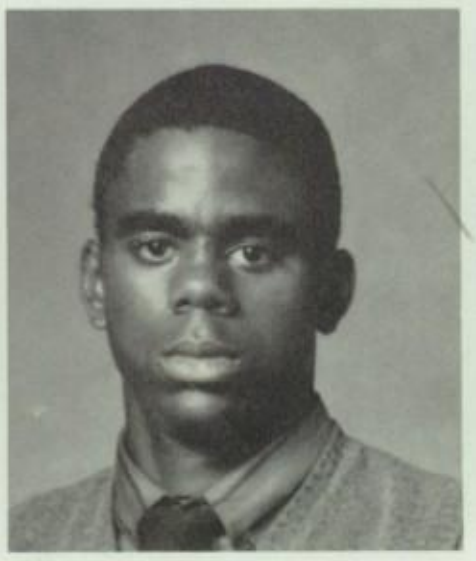

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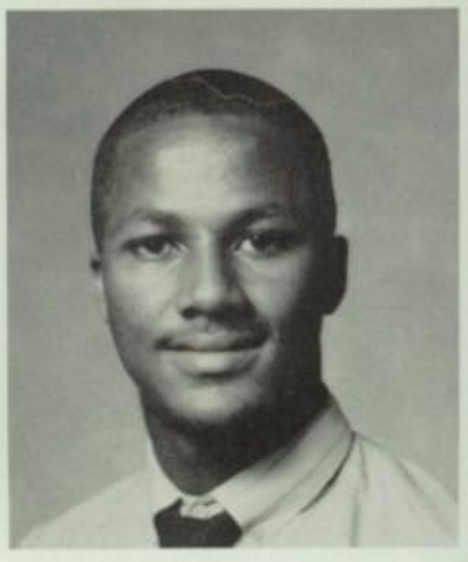

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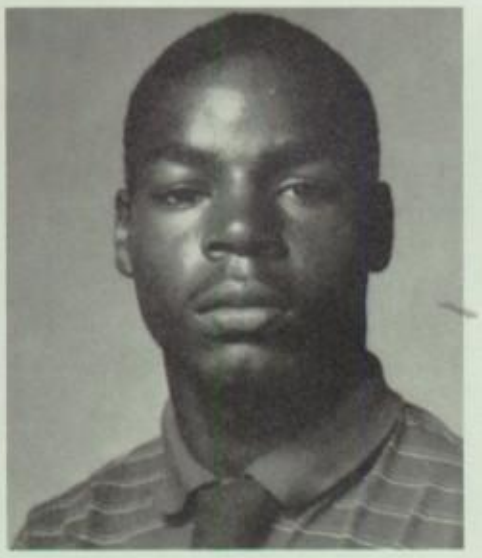

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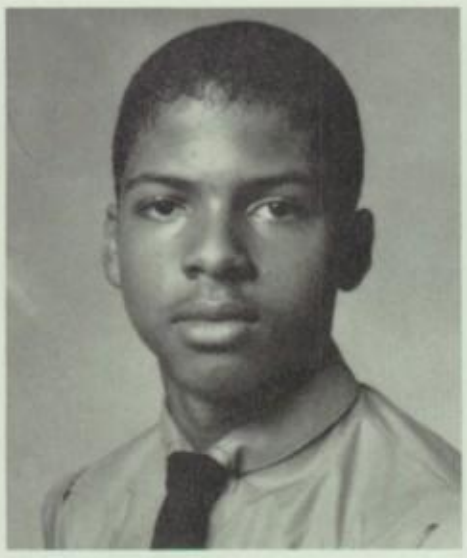

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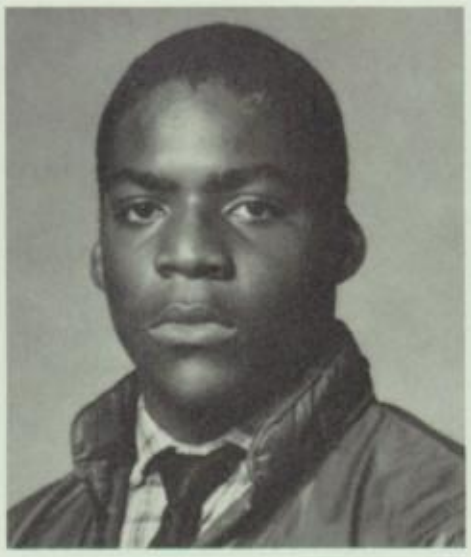

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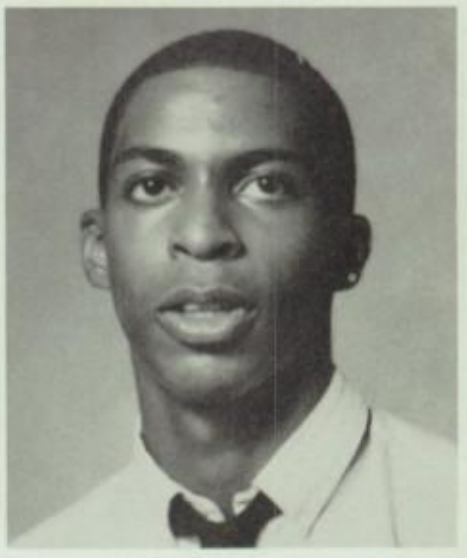

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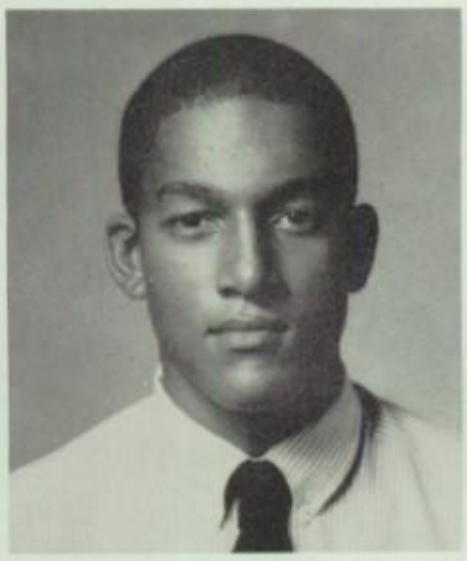

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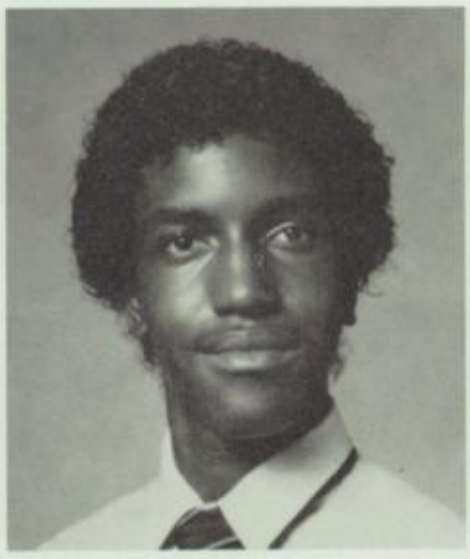

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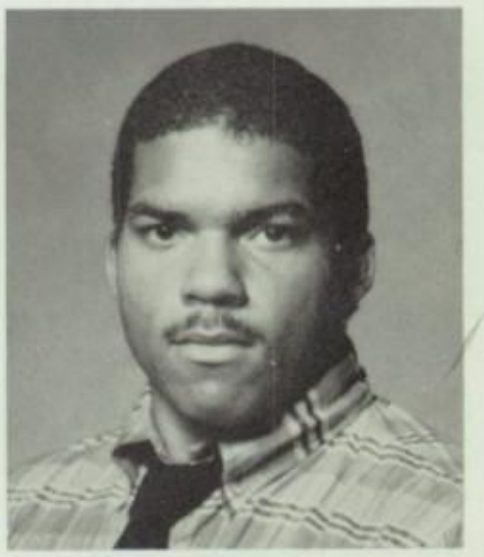

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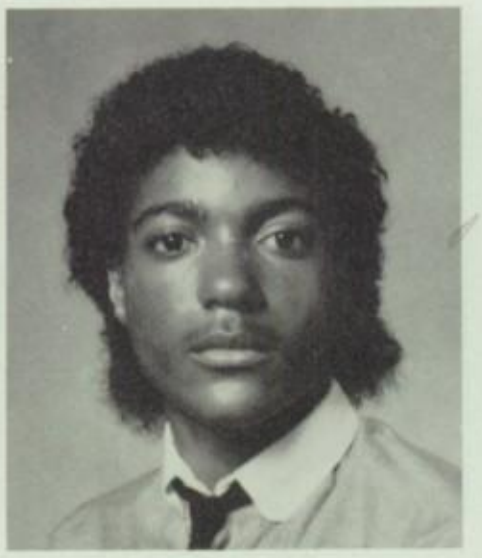

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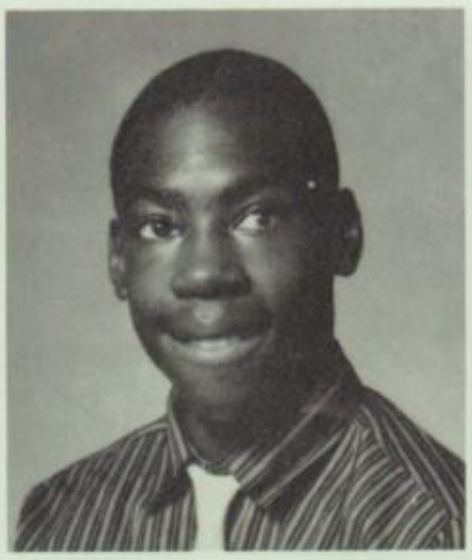

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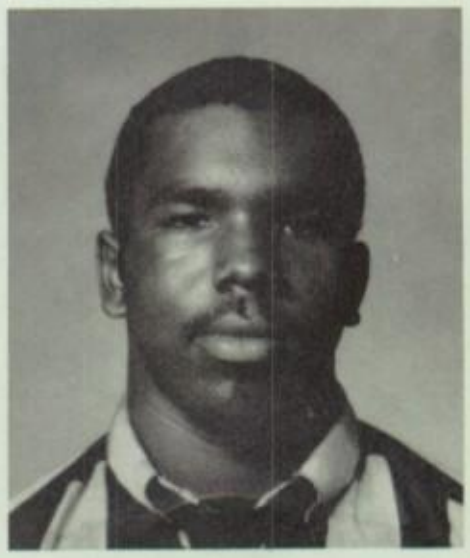

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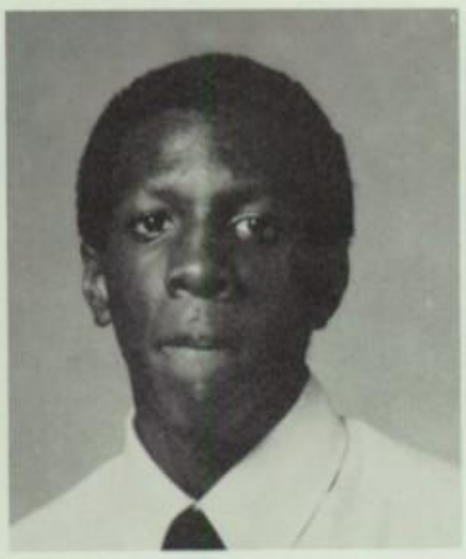

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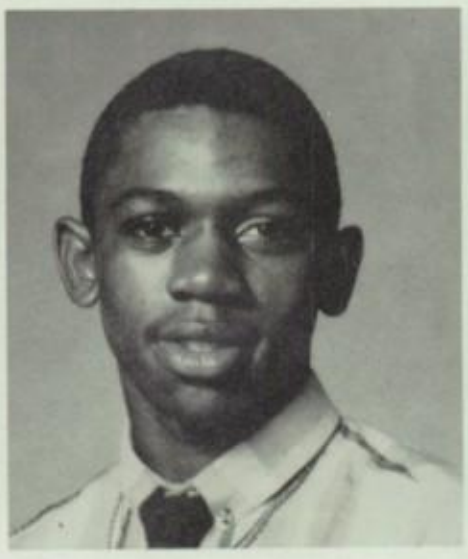

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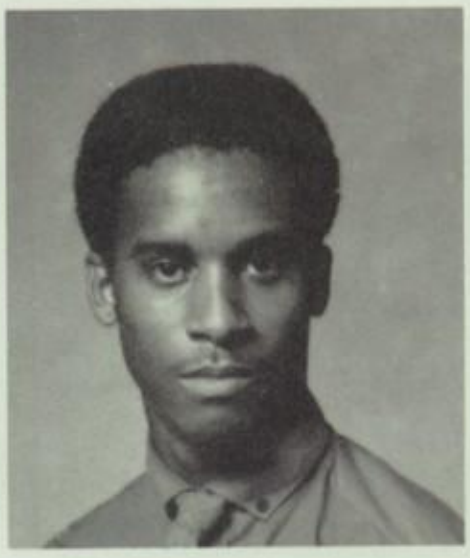

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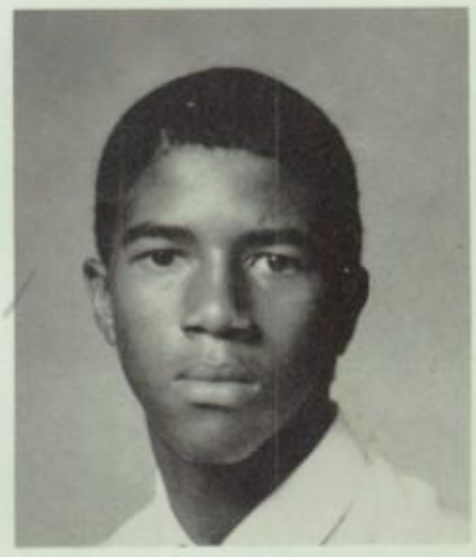

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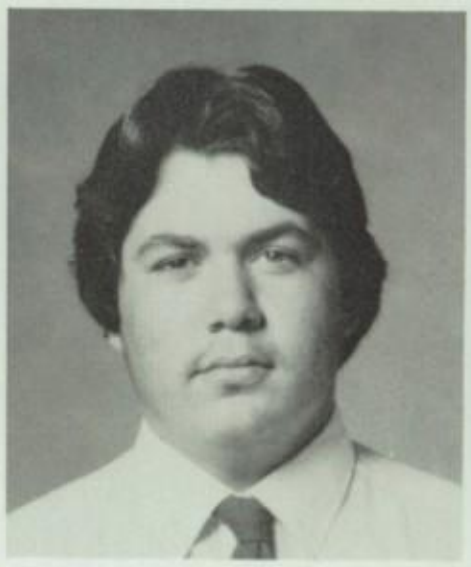

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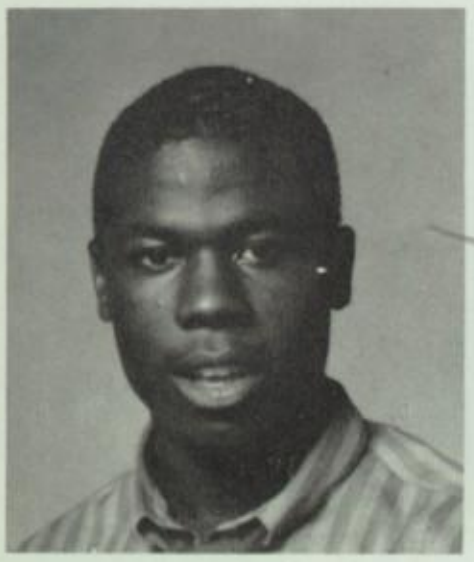

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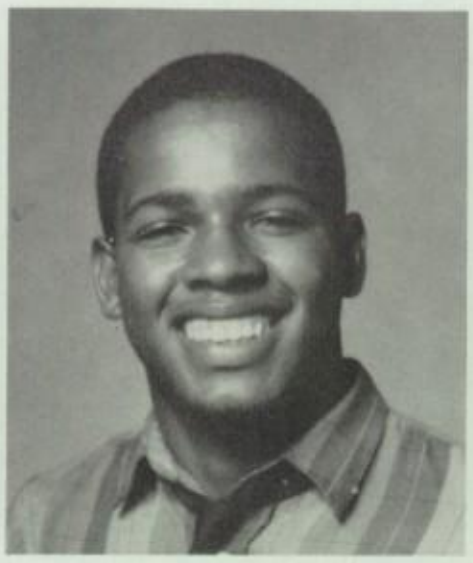

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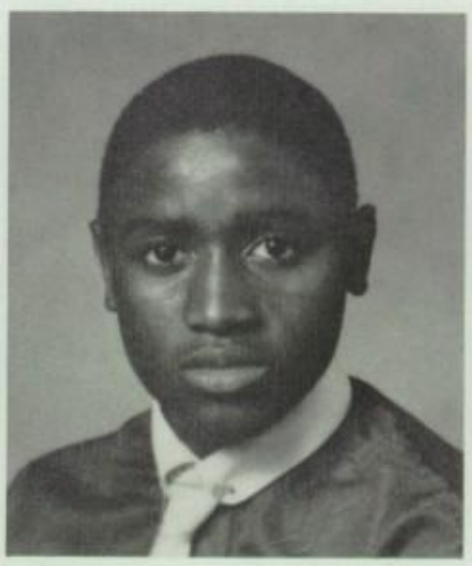

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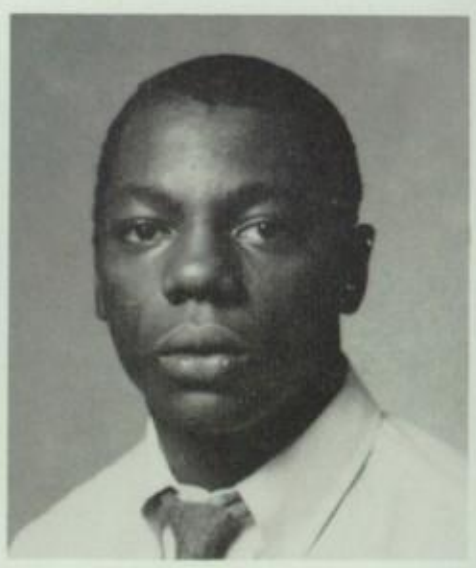

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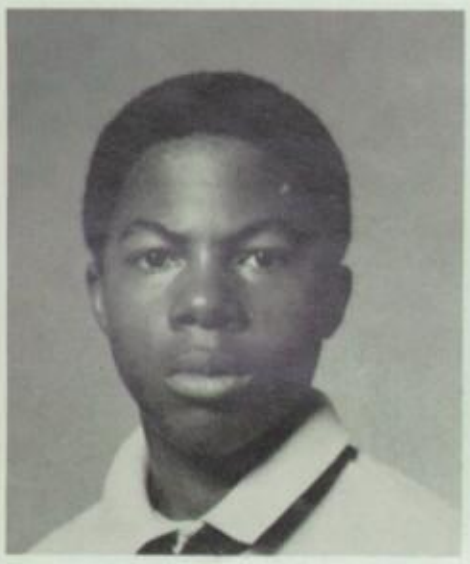

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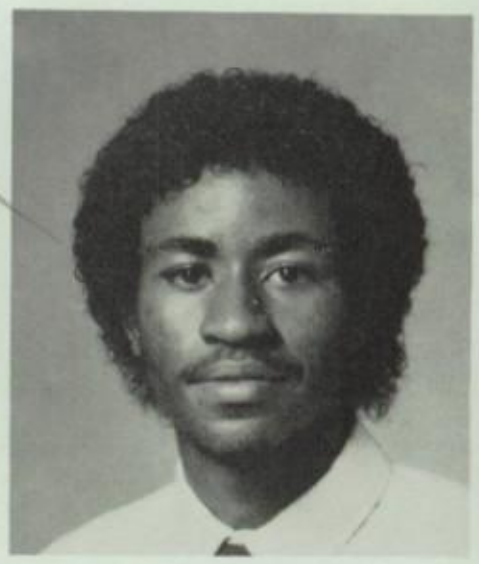

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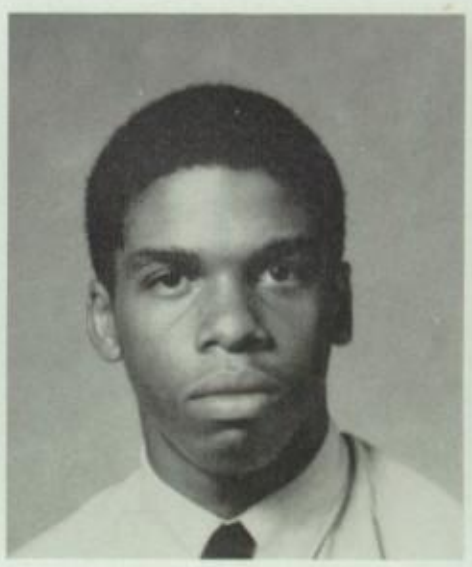

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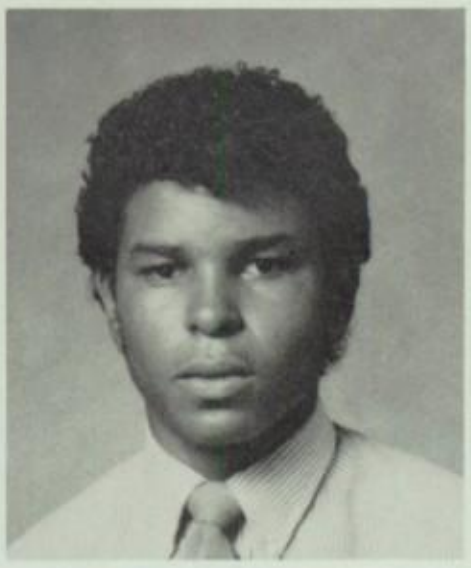

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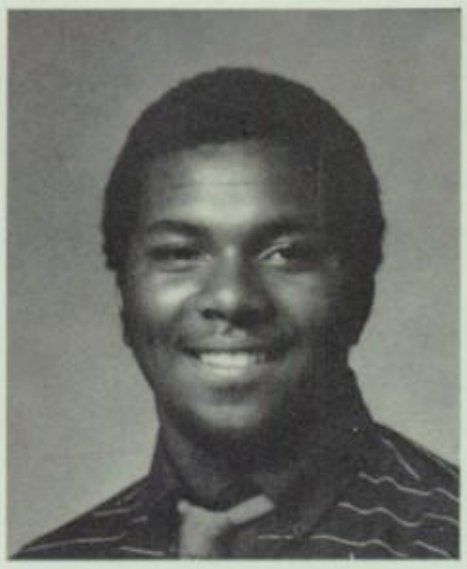

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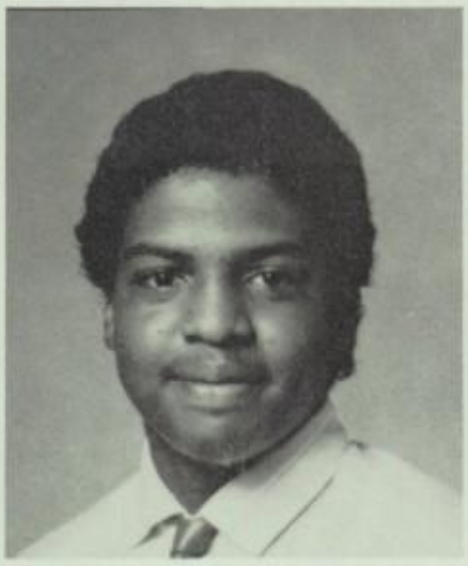

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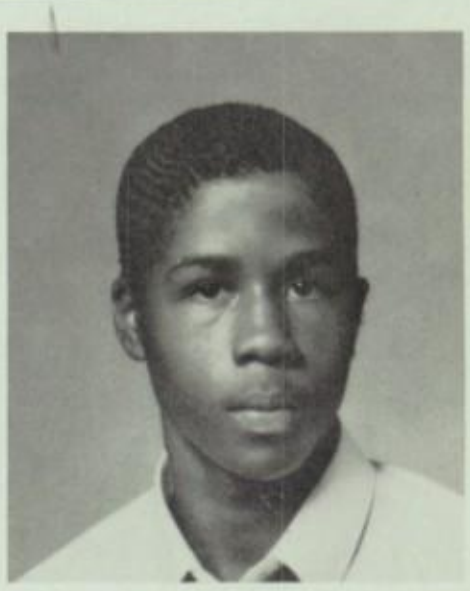

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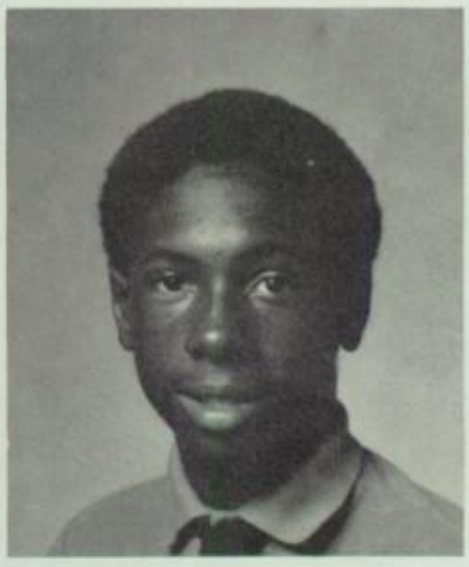

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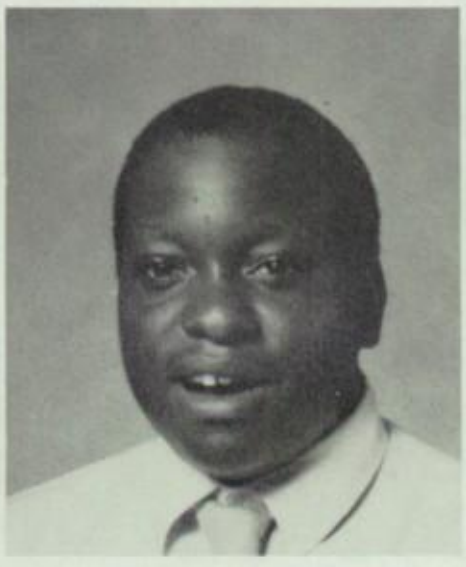

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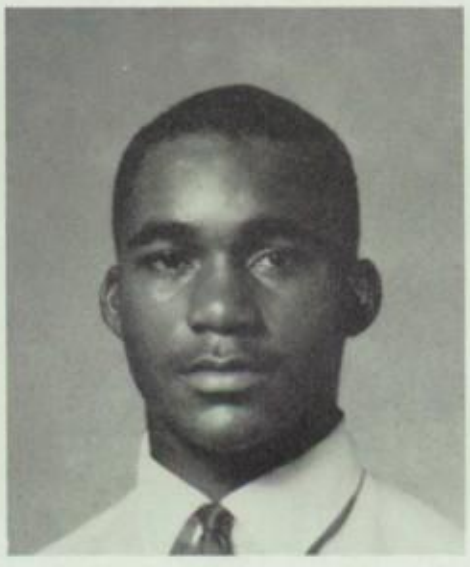

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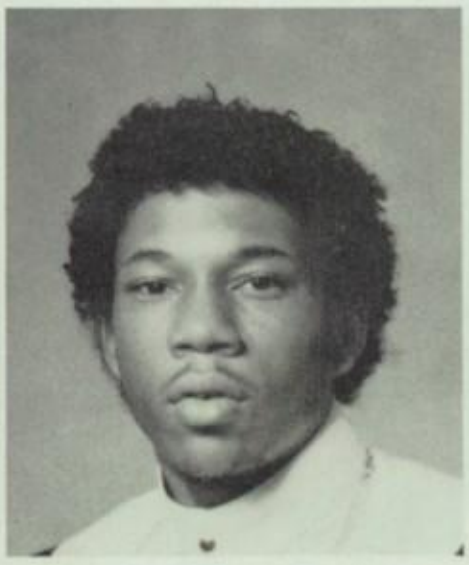

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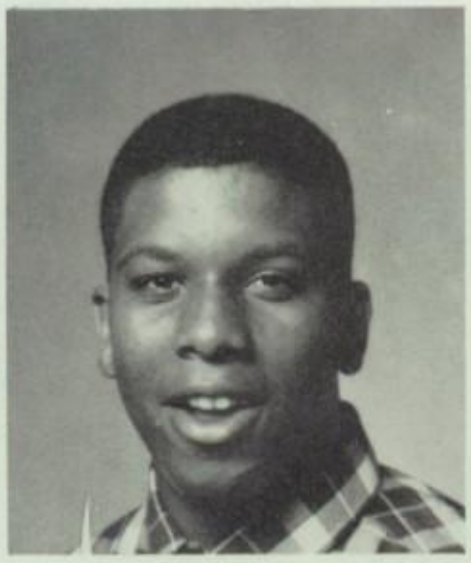

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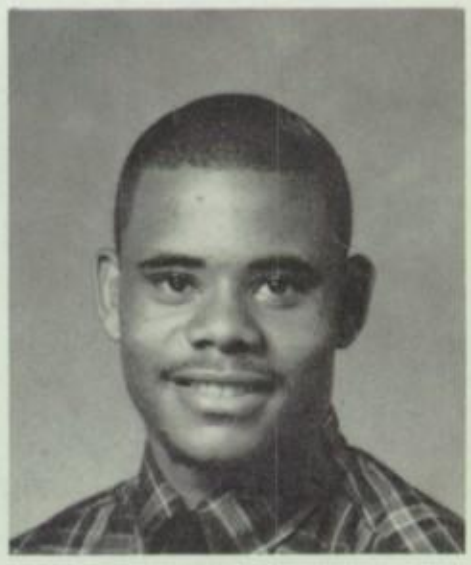

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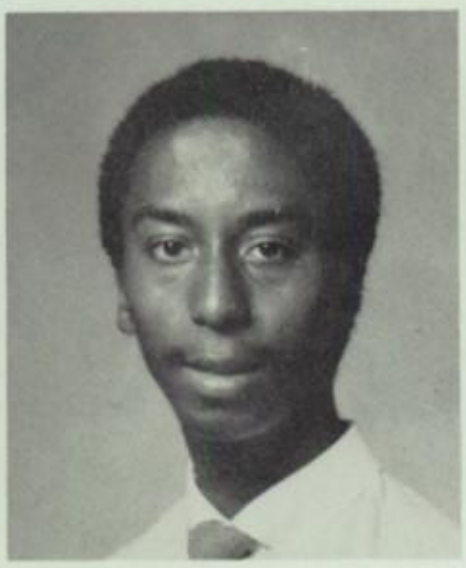

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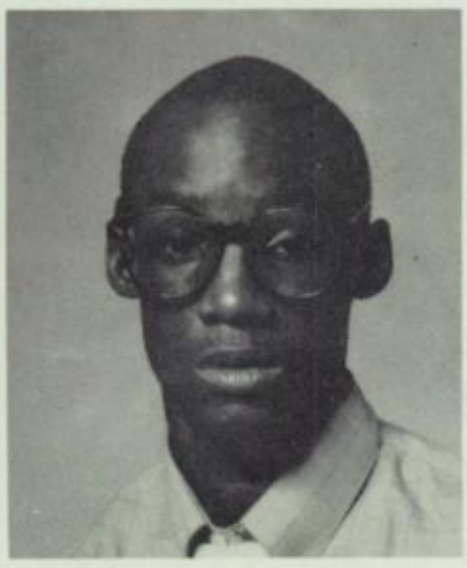

Fred Wright

CLASS OF '86

Chris O'Leary gets his materials together for his next class.

Juniors clown and crowd around the camera for a picture.

James Turner, Brent Nichols, and David Jones demonstrate "Eagle Pride."

Juniors wait patiently for the Richard T. Davis (R.T.D.) or other means of transportation after the long day of school.

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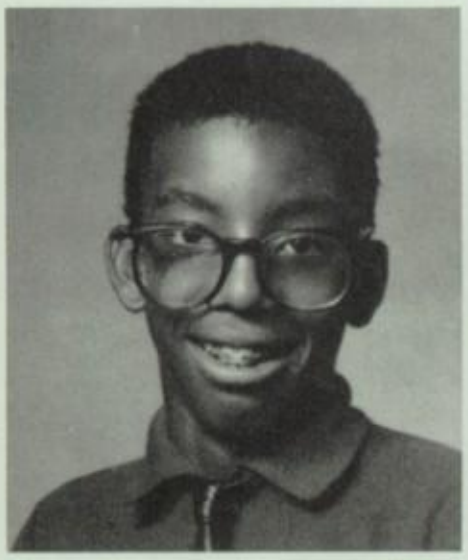

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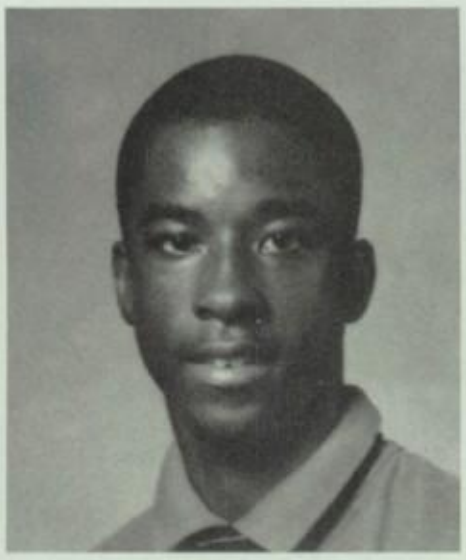

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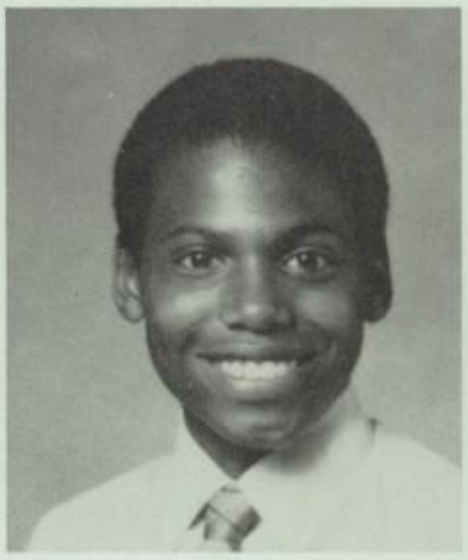

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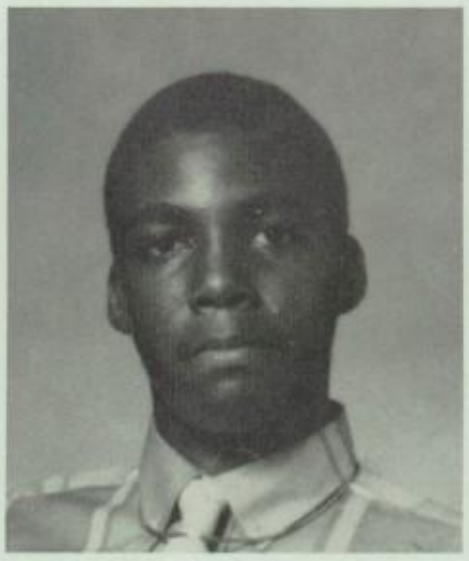

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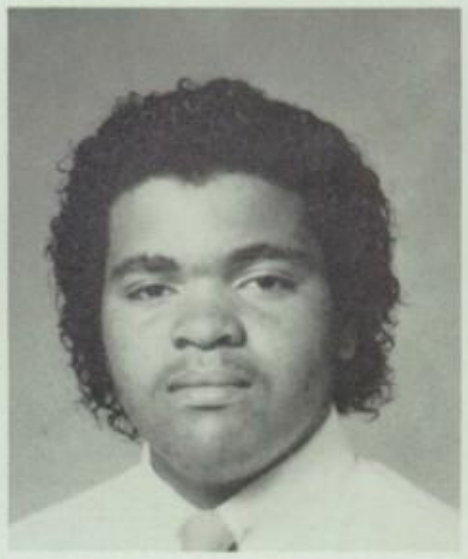
Pedro Rosado pauses as he hurries to his next class.



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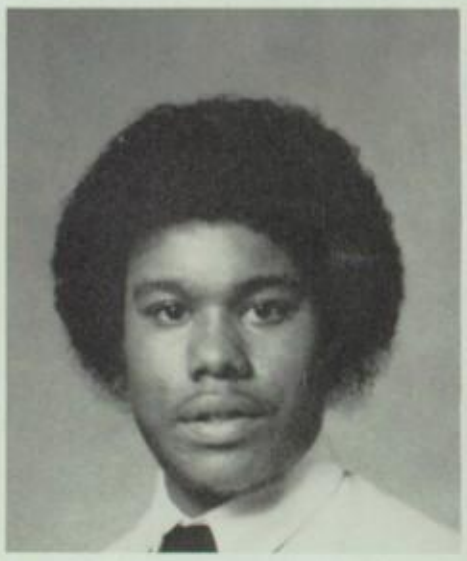

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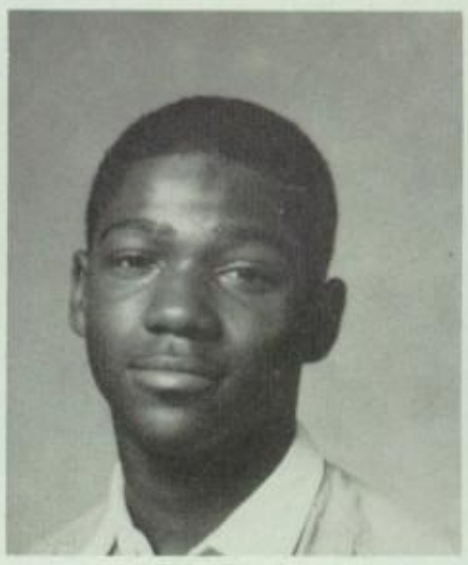

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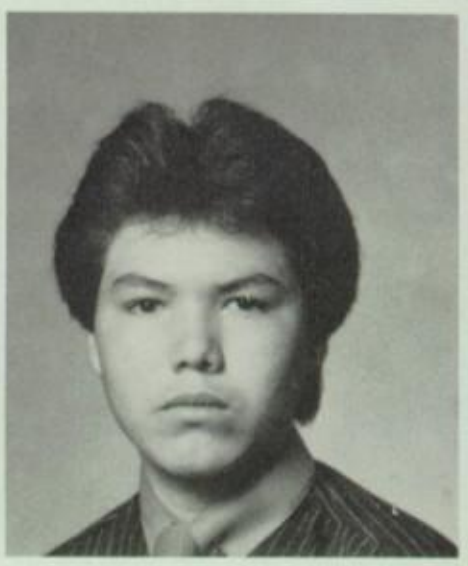

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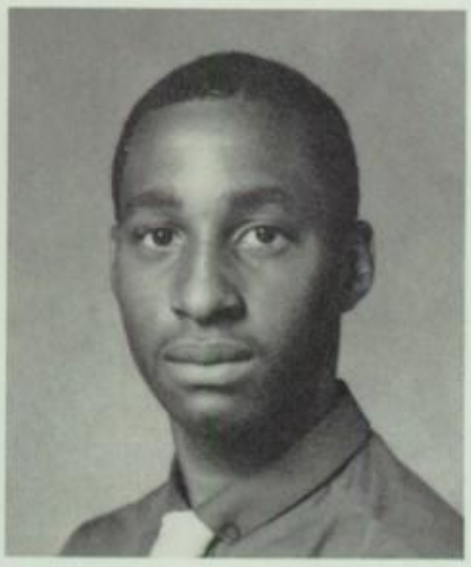

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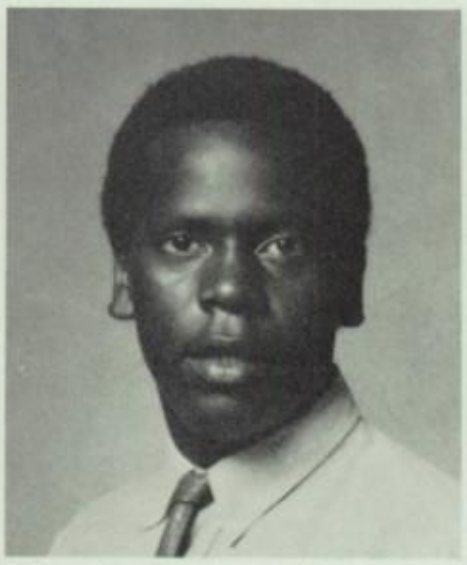

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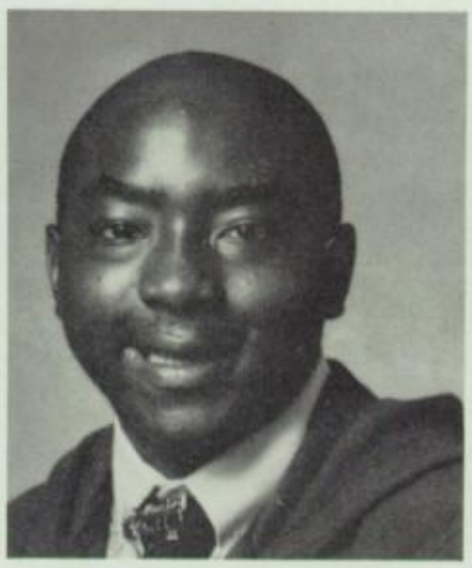

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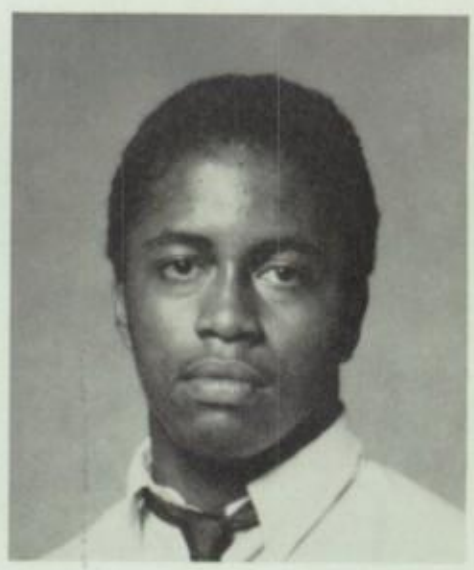

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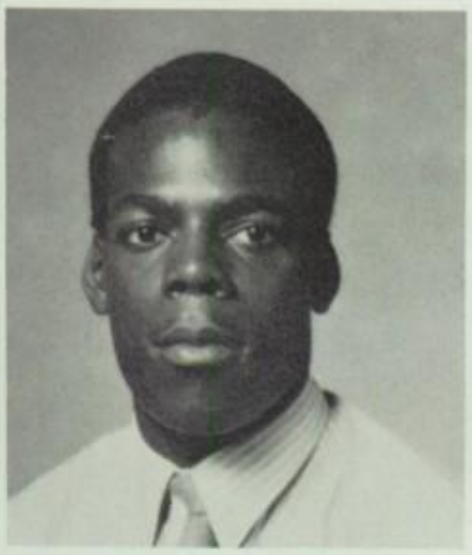

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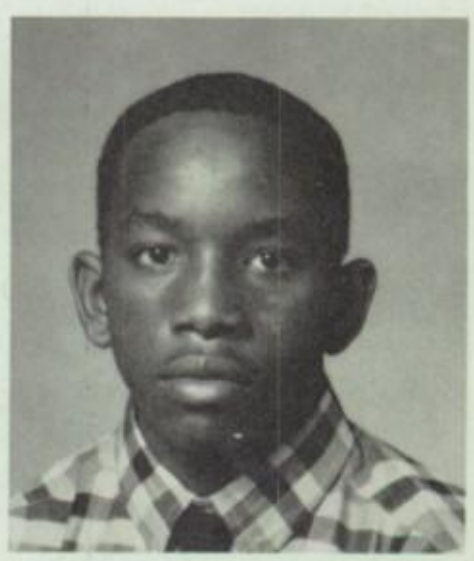

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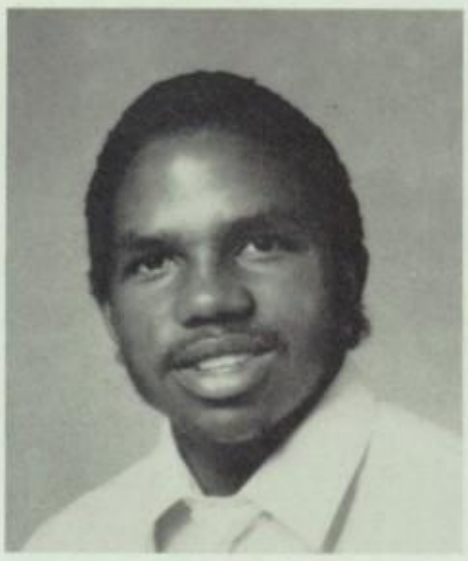
Syrus Magee gives us a big smile.



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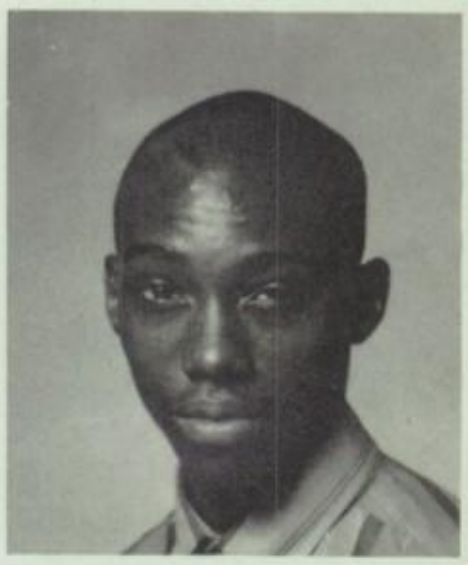

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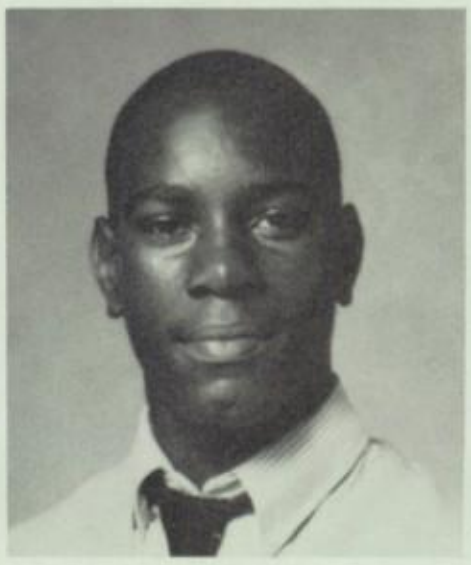

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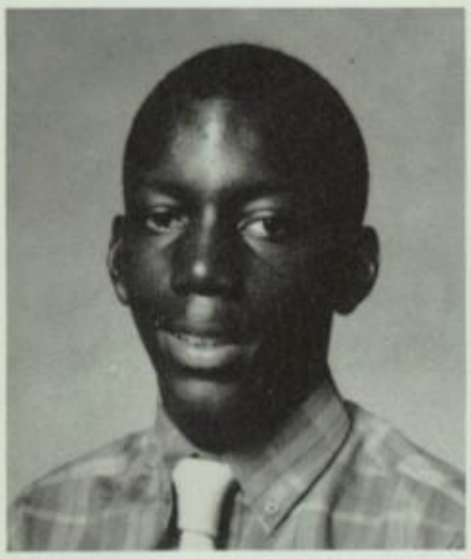

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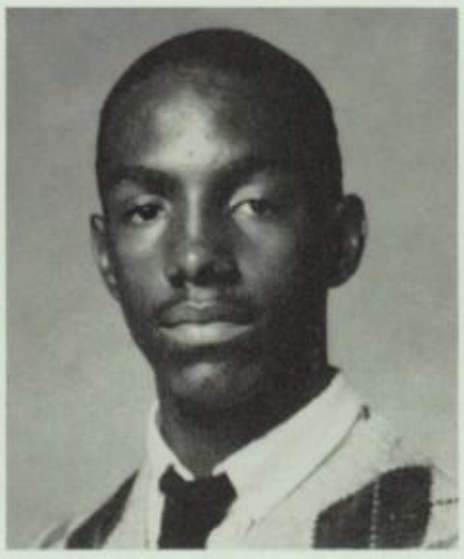

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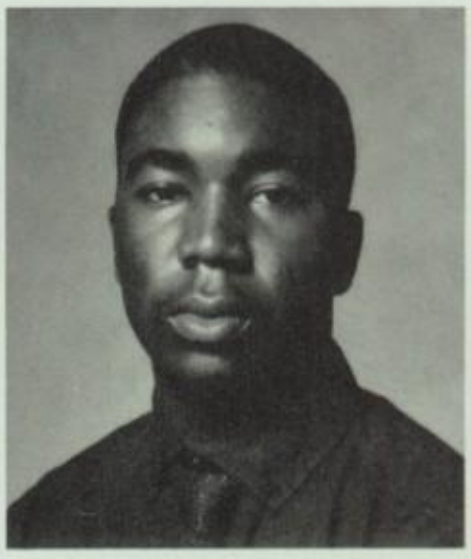

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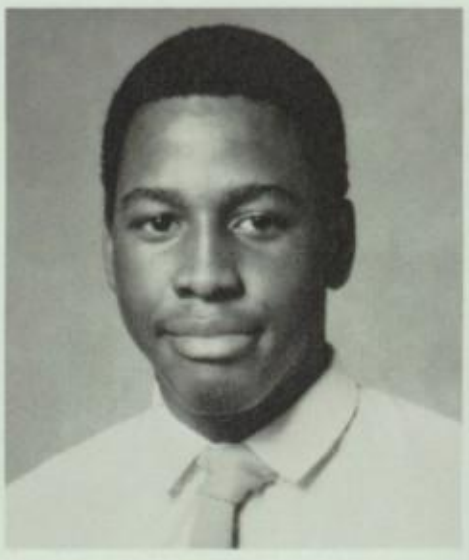

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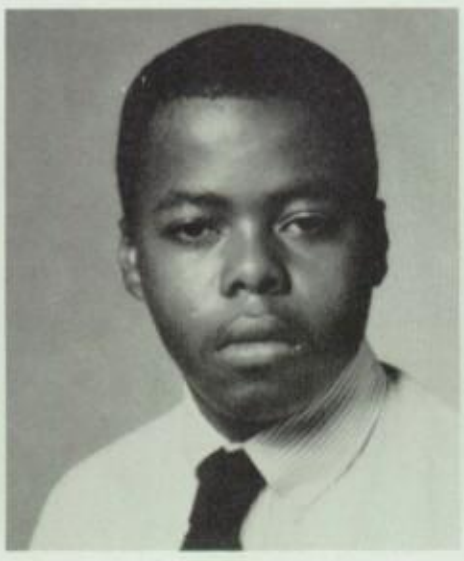

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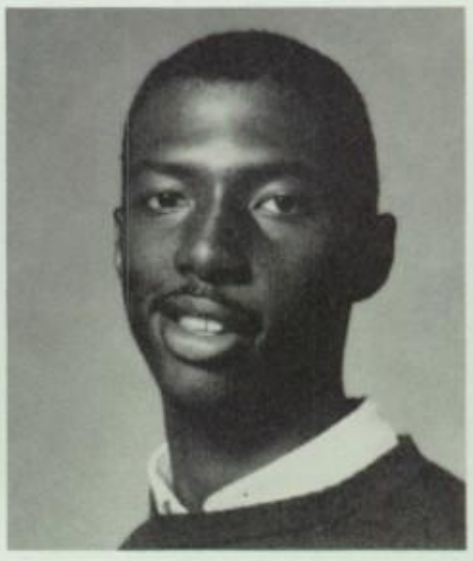

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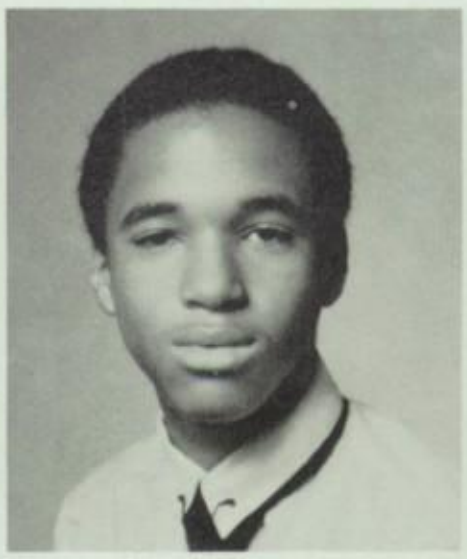
Sophomores, Deaven Warren, Kyle Watkins, Michael Hamilton, Stacey Owens, and Douglass Lewis fool around.



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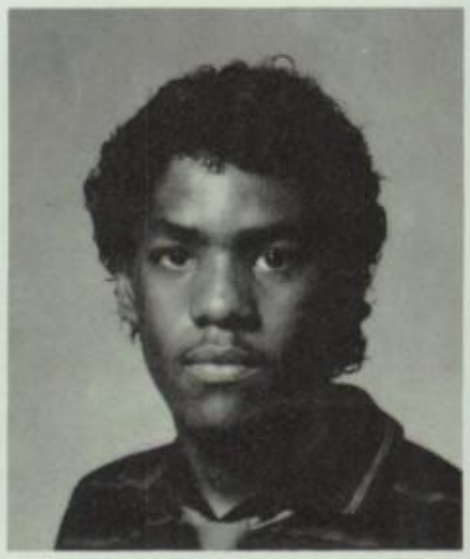

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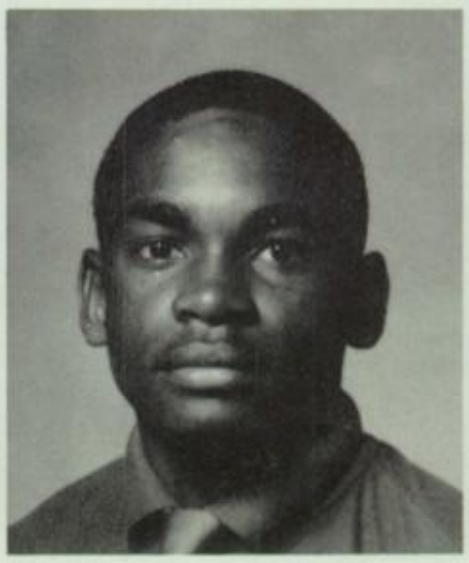

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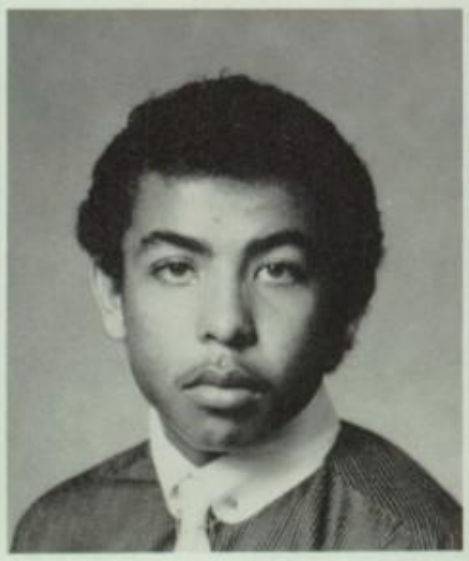

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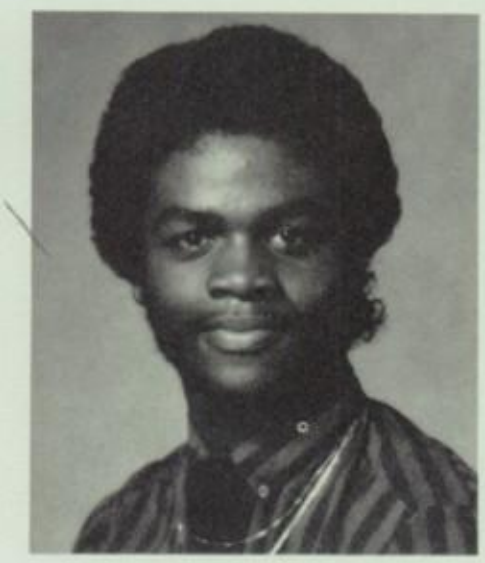

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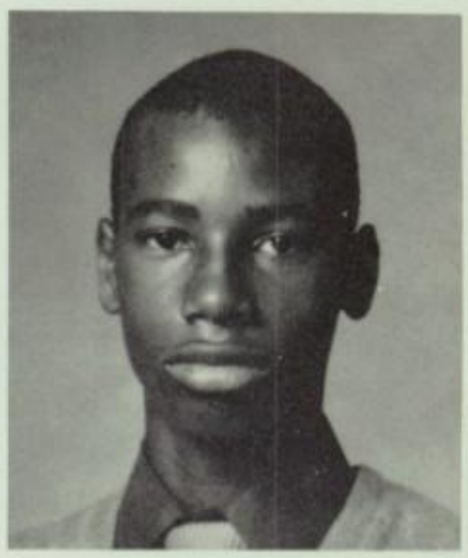

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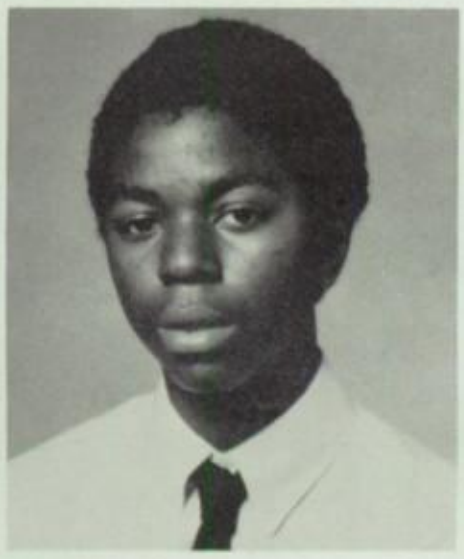

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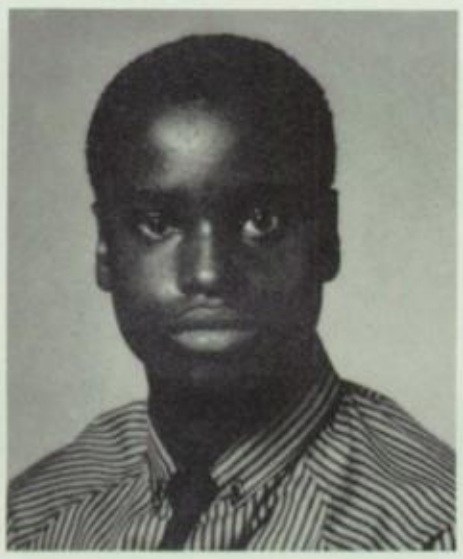

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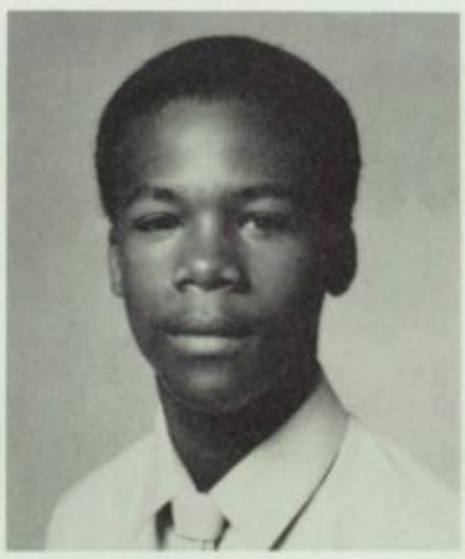

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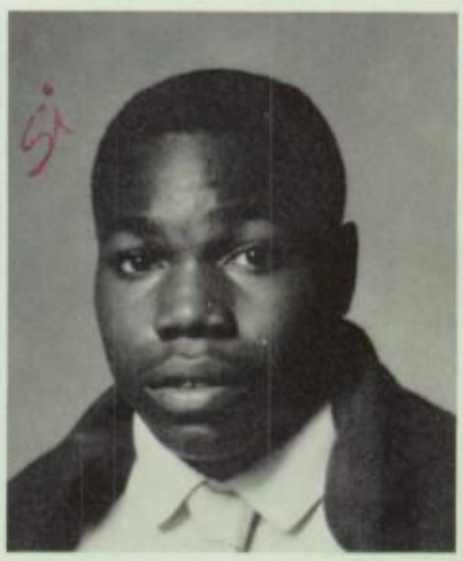
Adrian McCullough

Kevin Wilson and DuBois McMillian pose candidly for the photographer.

DuBois McMillian



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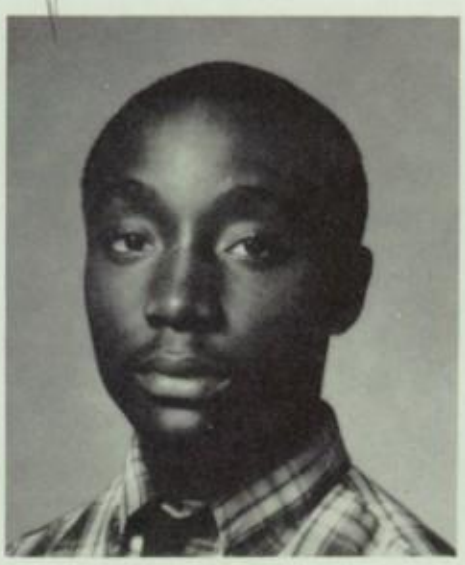

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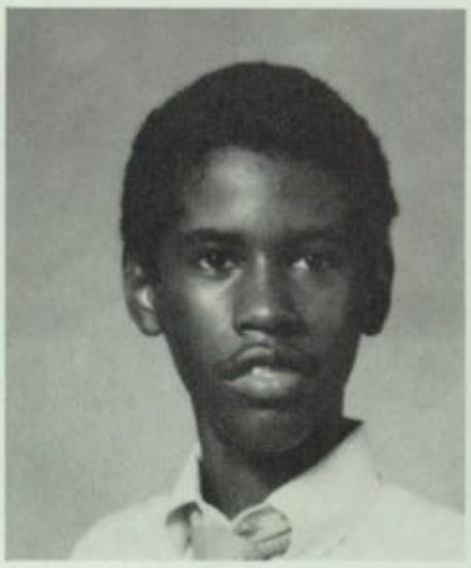
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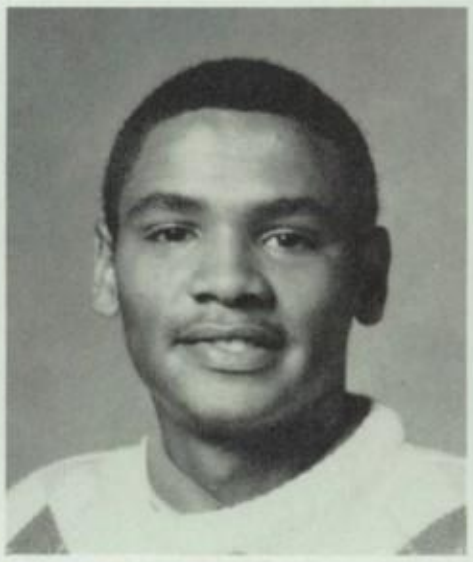
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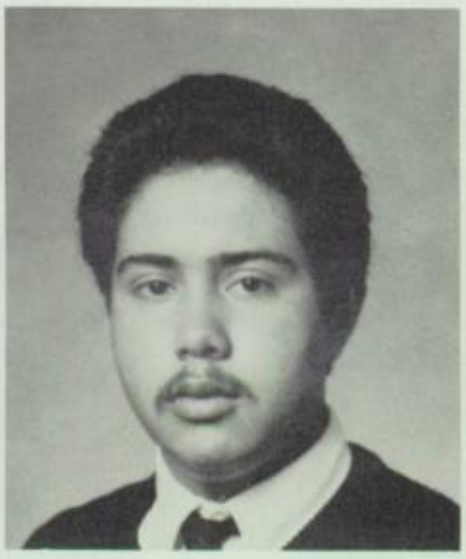
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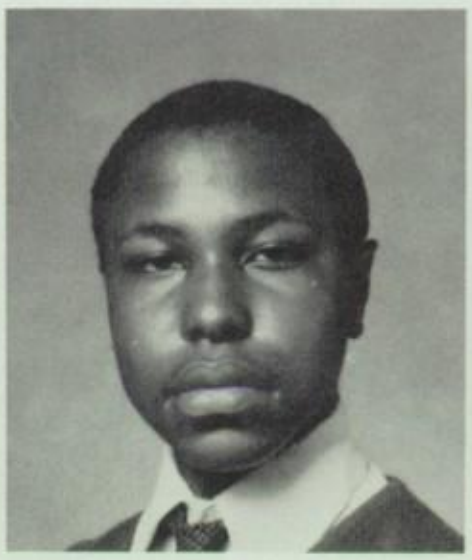
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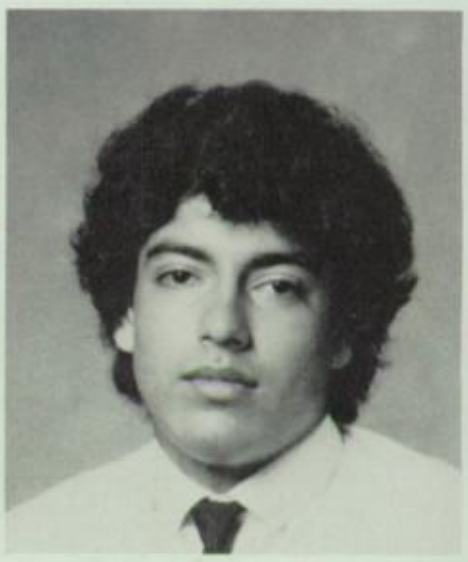
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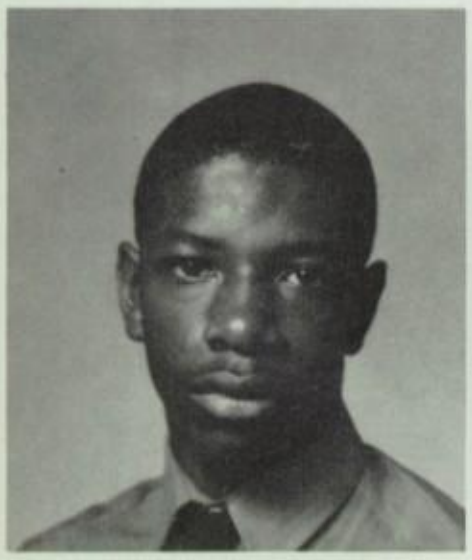
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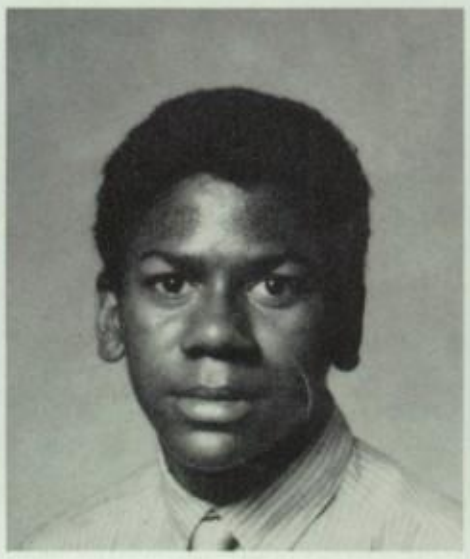
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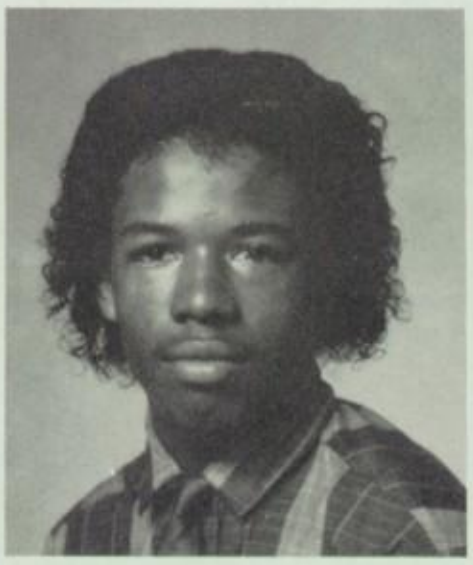

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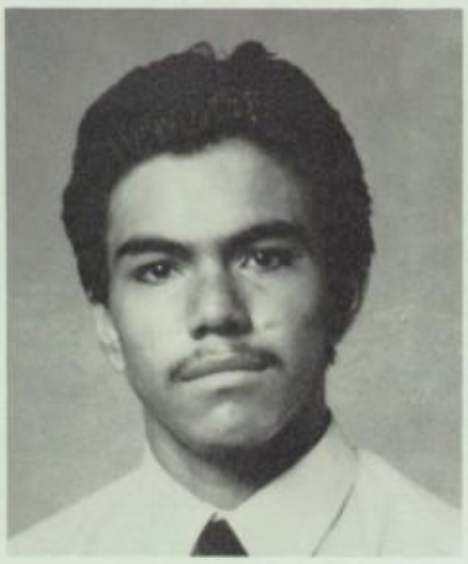

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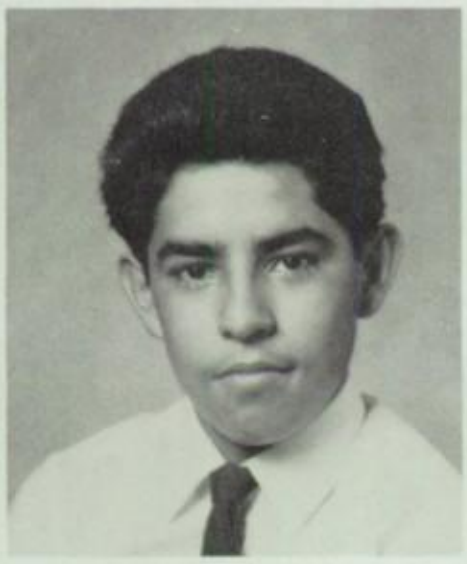

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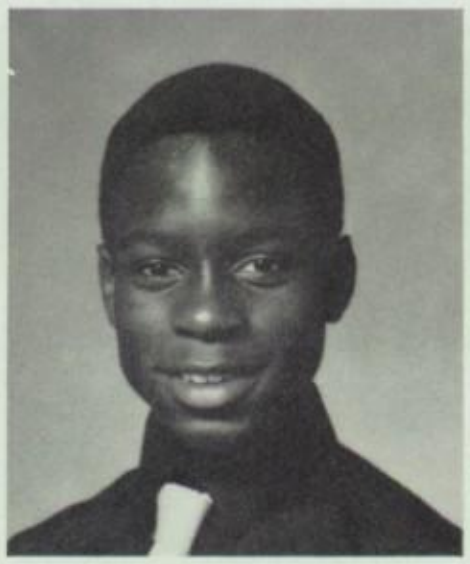

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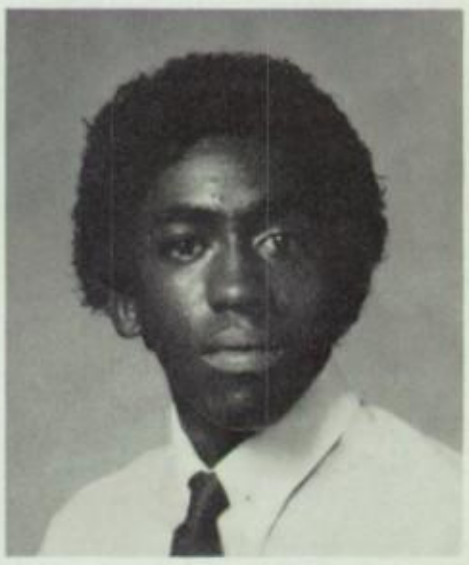

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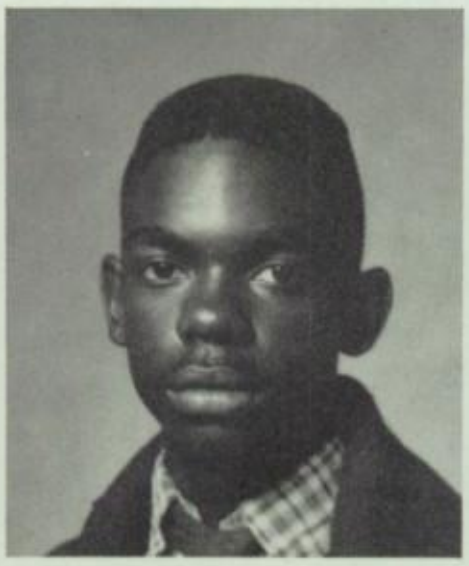

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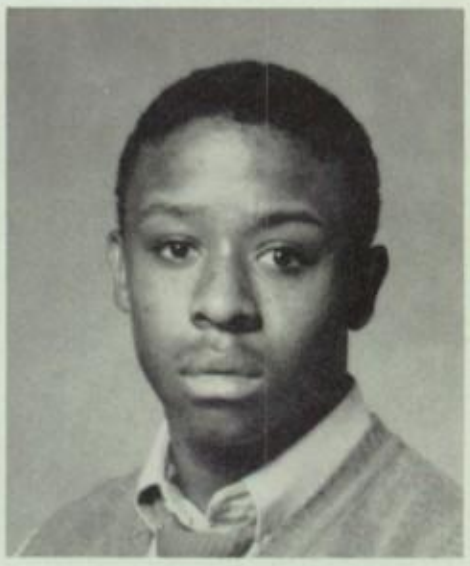

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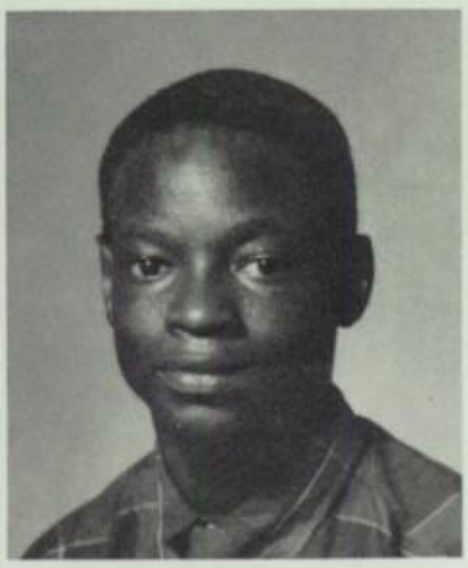

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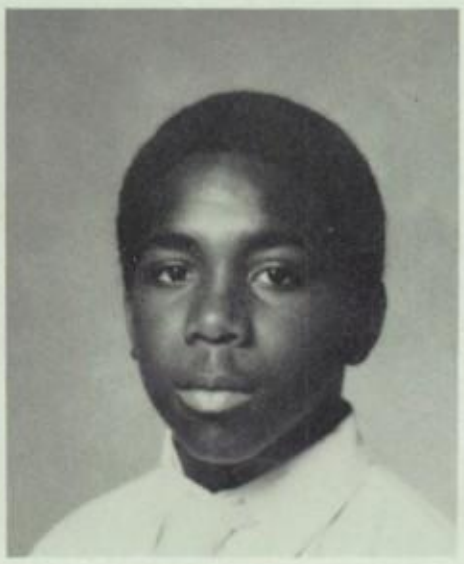

Hubert Zuniga

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Derrick Billoups, "Chilly" Crittendon, and Robert Parks pose for the camera.

Kelvin Anderson and Chevell Davis try to look "cool".

"The Gang"- (back row) Pedro Rosado, Enrique Becerra, Jose Nunez, and Felipe Caro. (seated) Jose Valera, Lorenzo Ponce, Efren Ramirez, and Hubert Zuniga.

Lamond McCoy and Charles Alex rest during the break.

Freshmen

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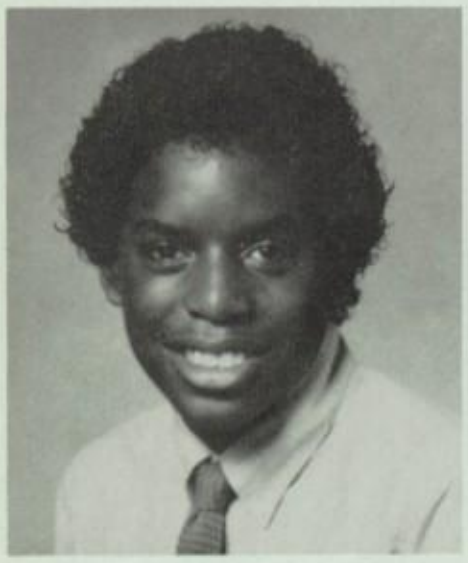

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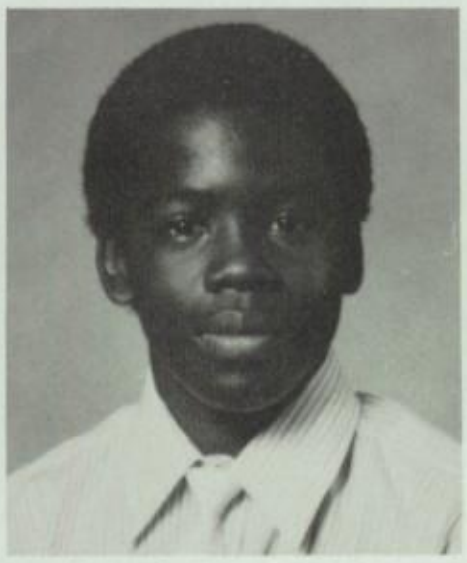

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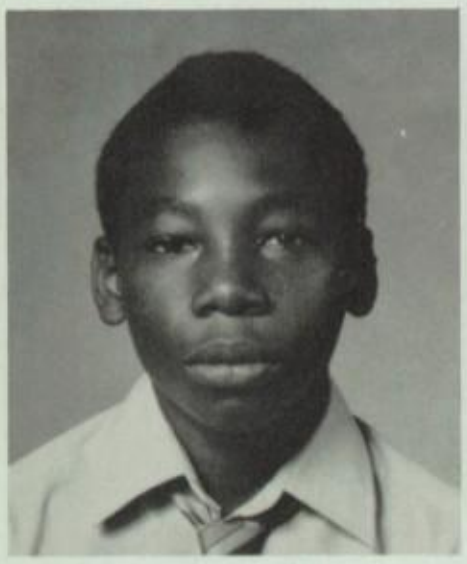

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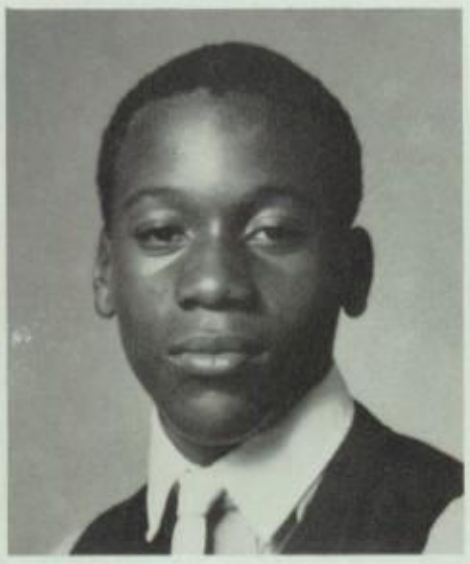

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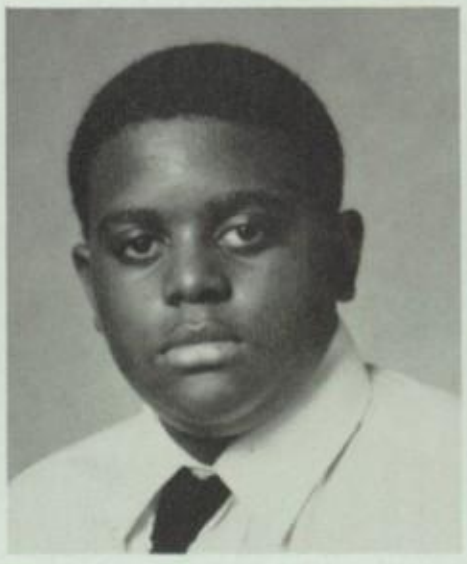

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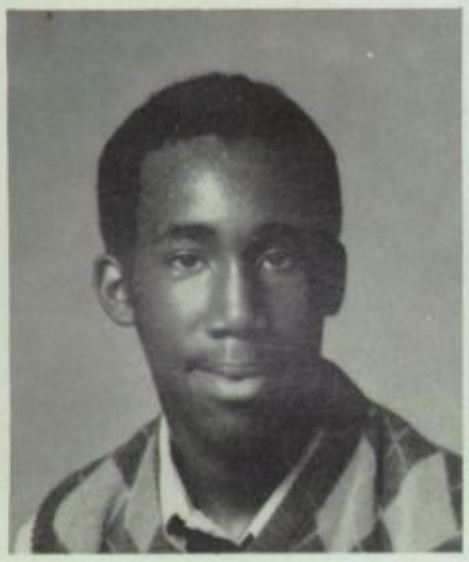

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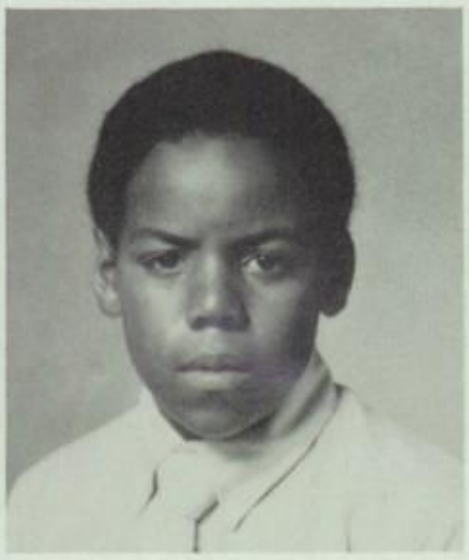

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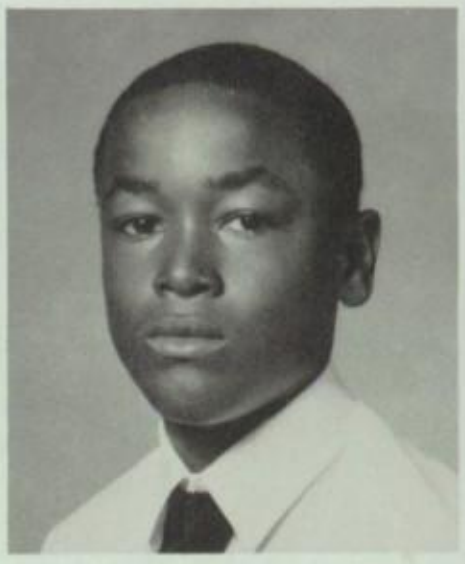

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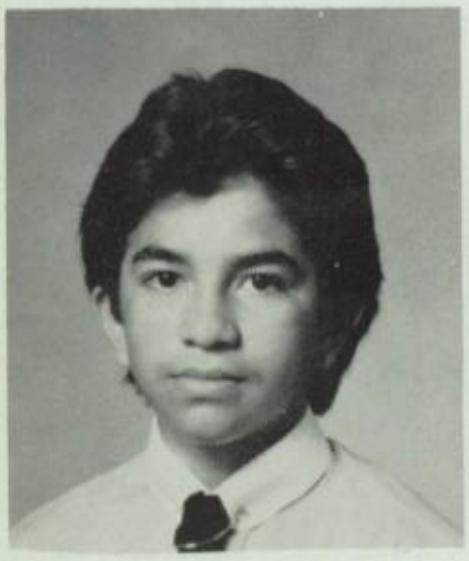

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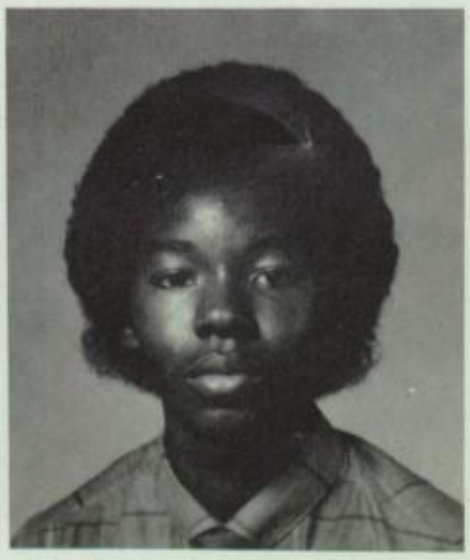

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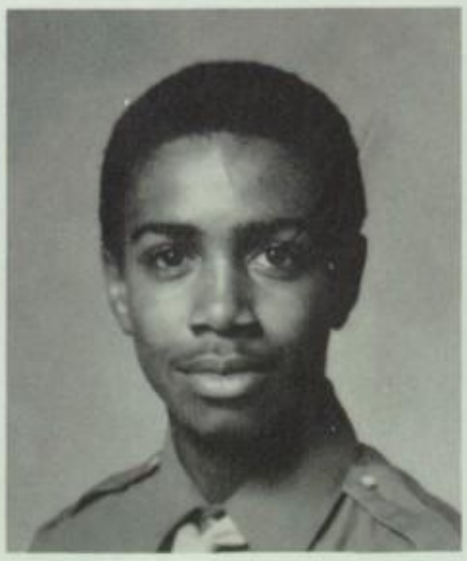

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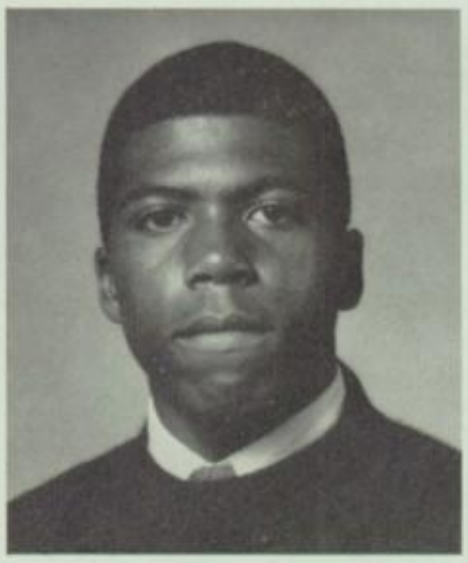

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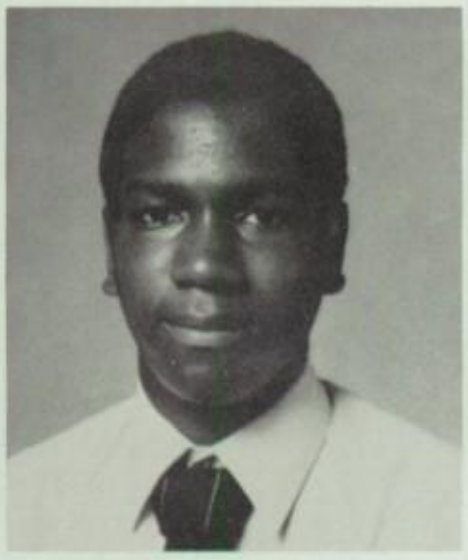

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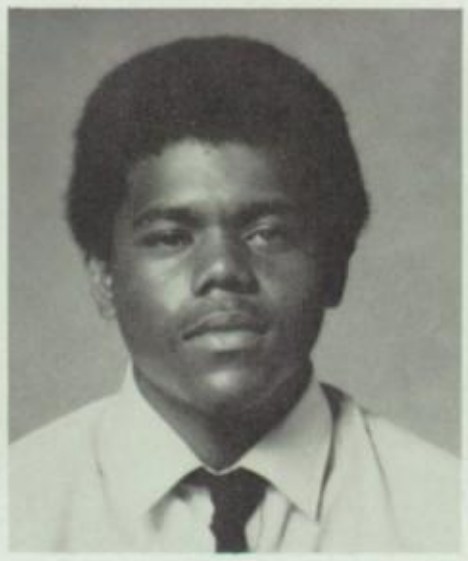

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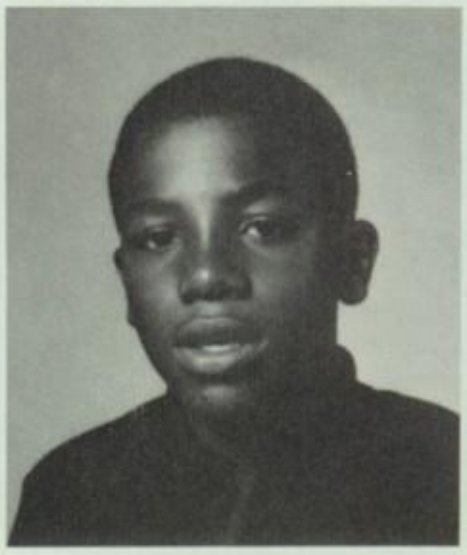

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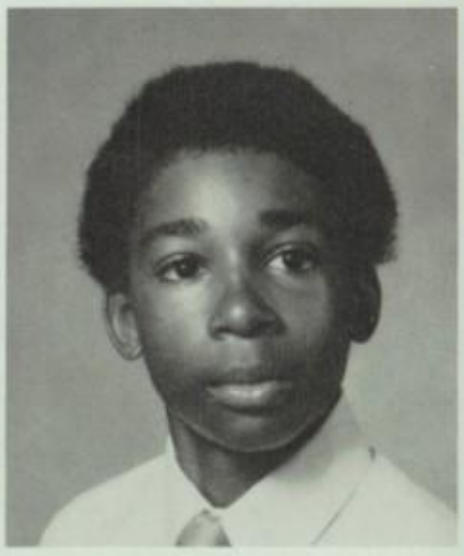

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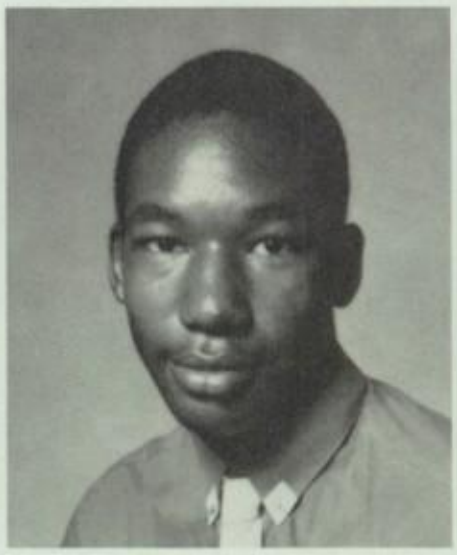

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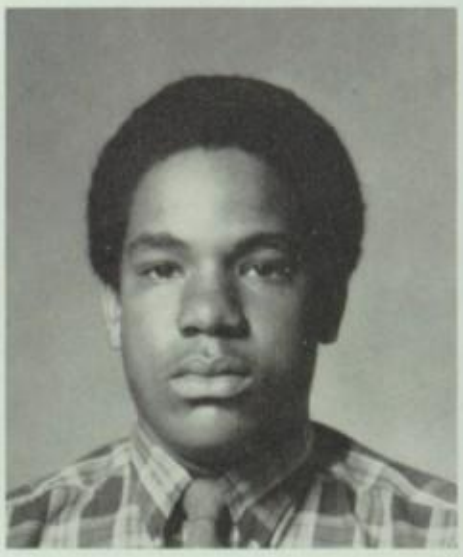

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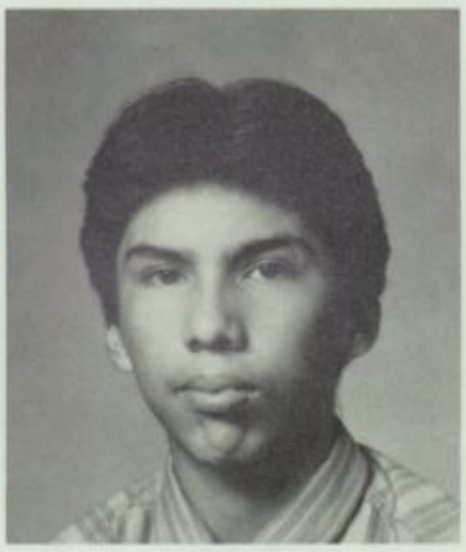

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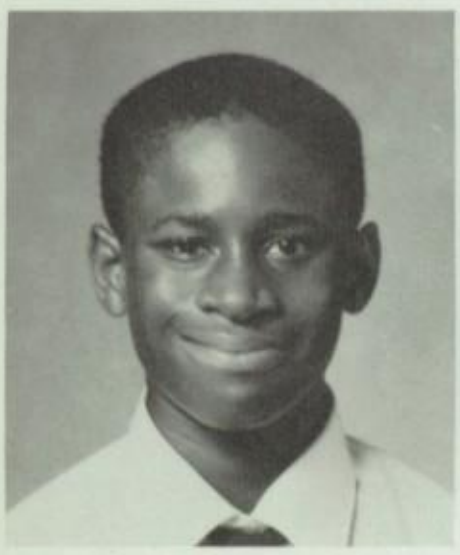

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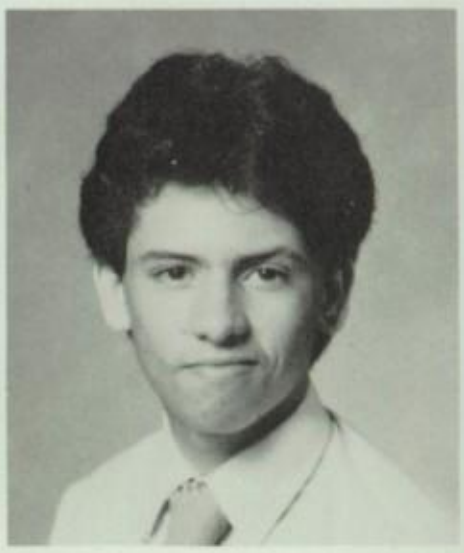

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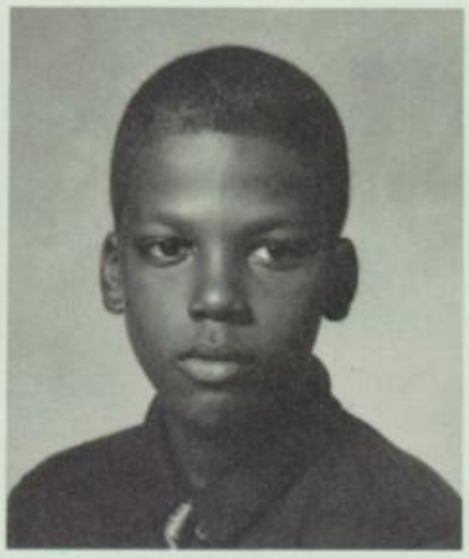

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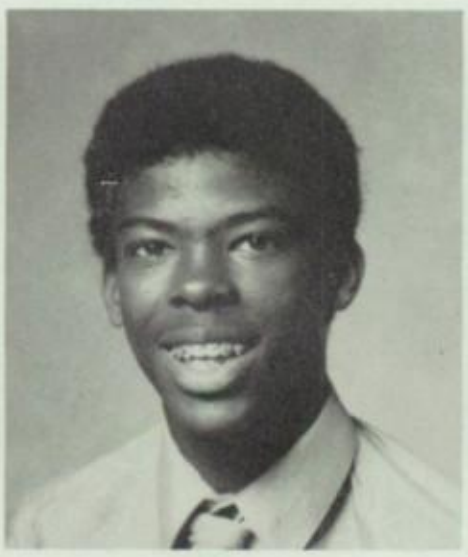

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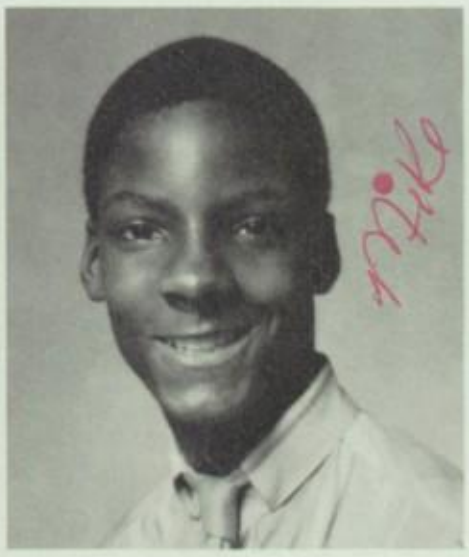

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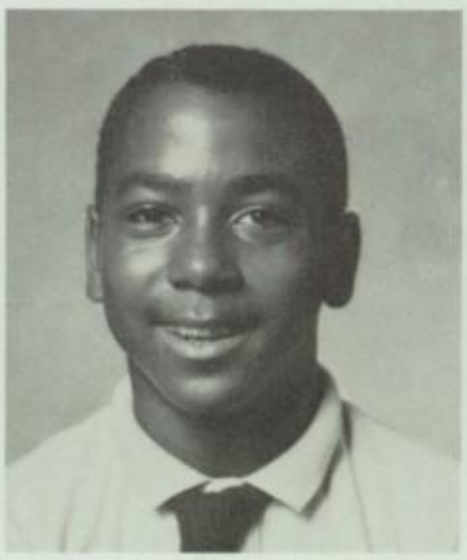

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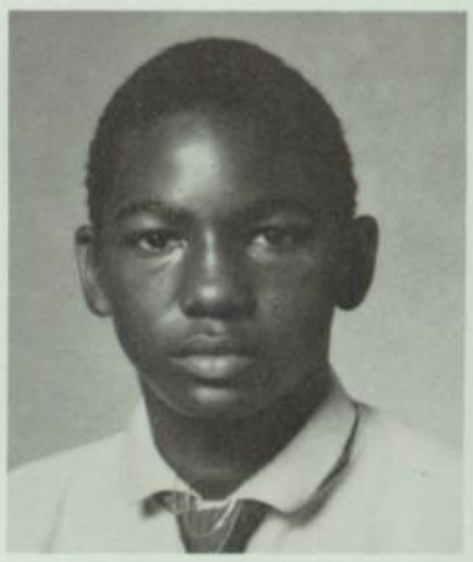

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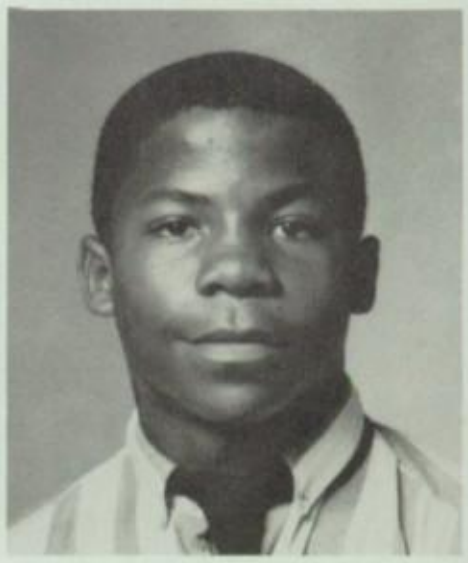

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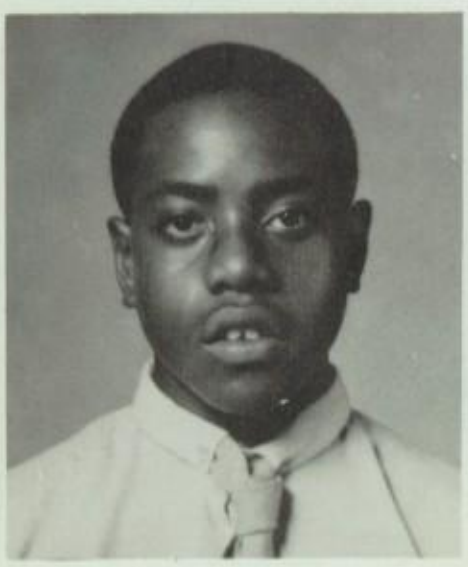

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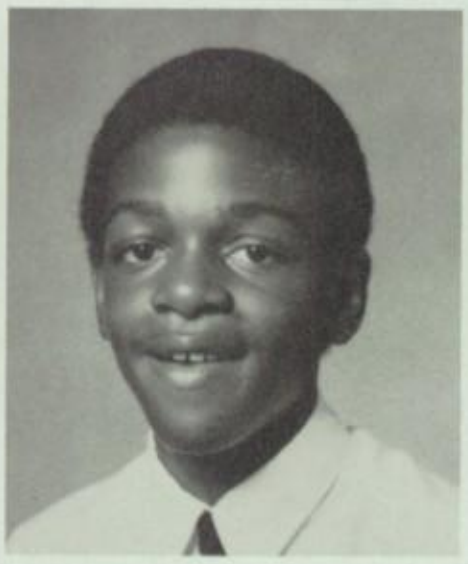

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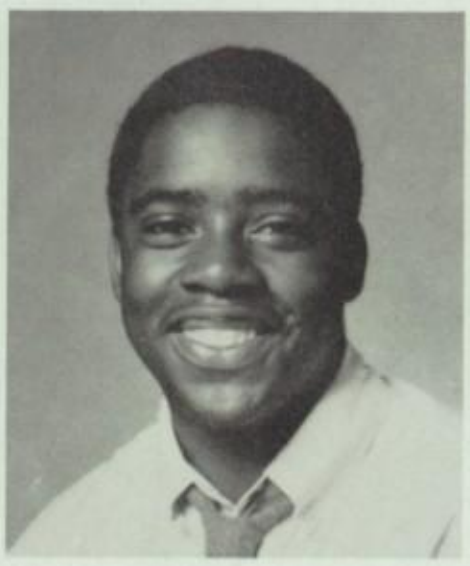

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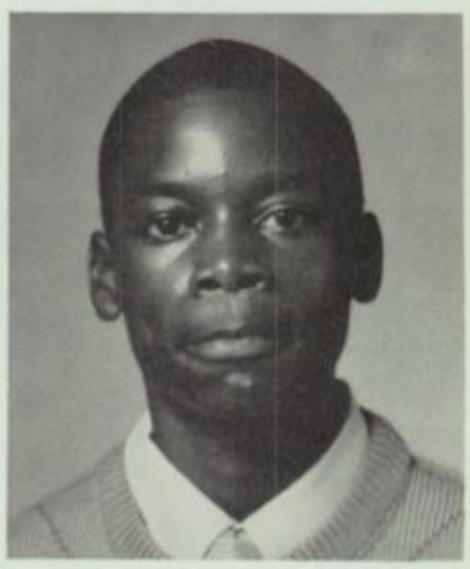

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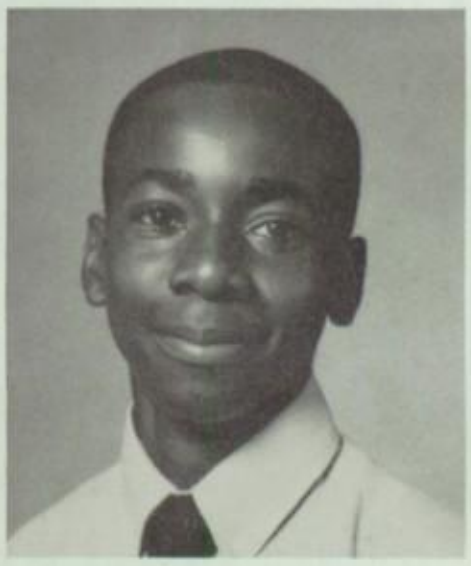

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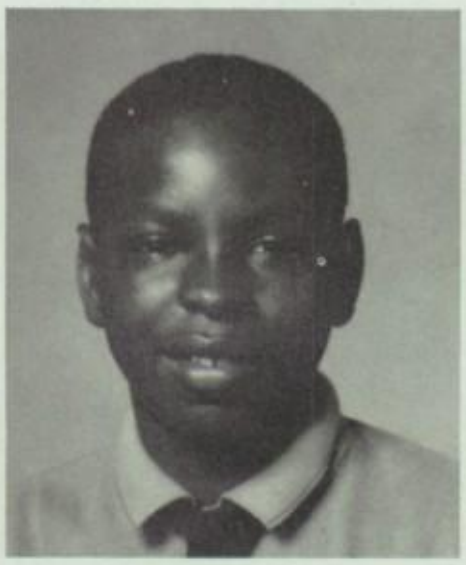

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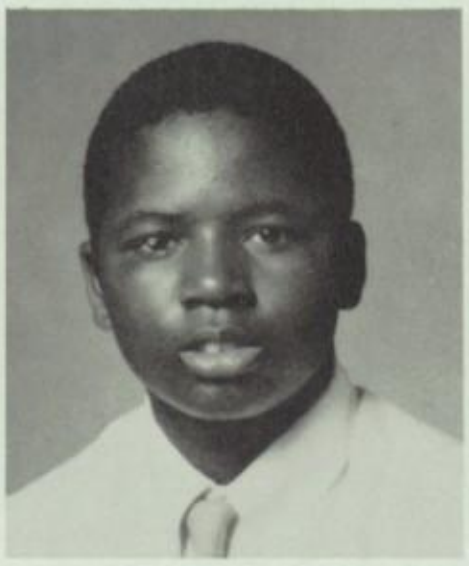


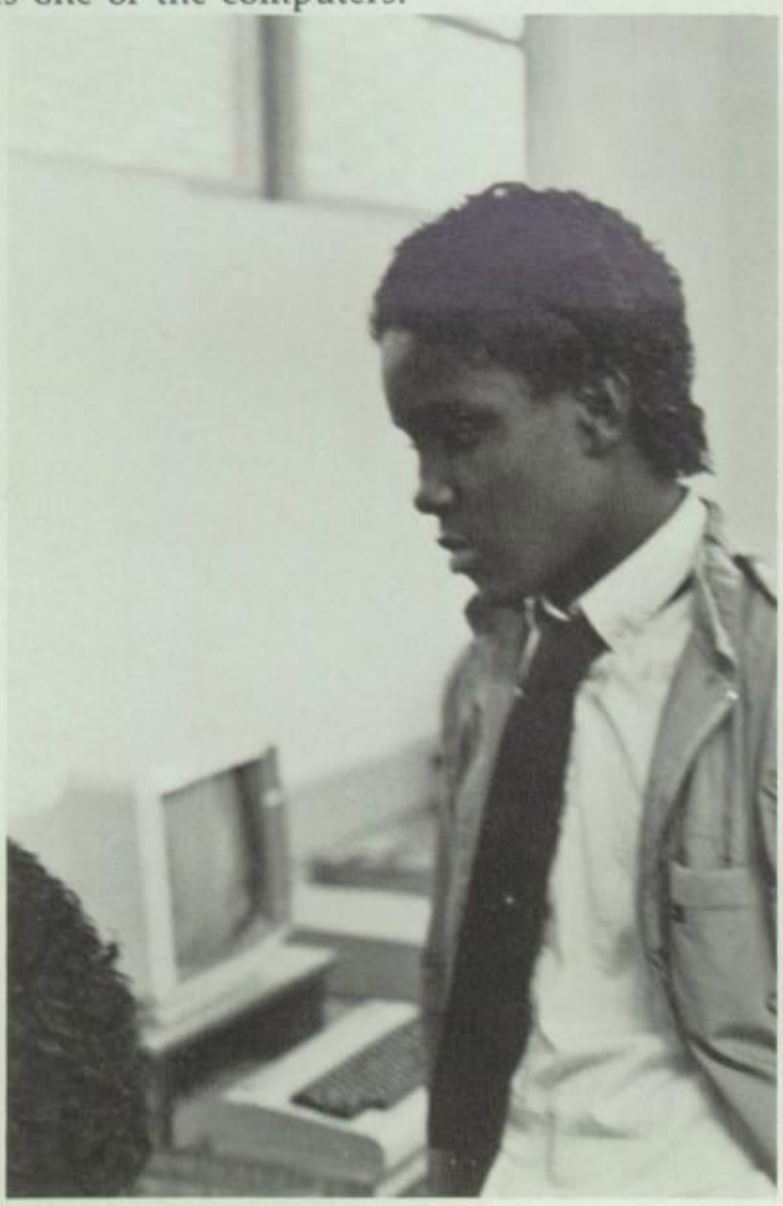
David Womely

Steve Yglesias

CLASS OF '88

Above-Kenneth Crumsey poses for us. Below-Anthony Jackson observes while someone programs one of the computers.

Above-Leon Norwood makes his way to class. Below-Three freshmen converse about the events of the day.



Athletics

VARSITY FOOTBALL

(Top Row) Sr. Vincella, Coach Bill, Coach Chavez, Coach Lalo, Coach Morado, Coach Elio, Coach Bob (Row Two) F. Wright, K. Edwards, G. Black, D. Redmond, M. Dorris, D. Cameron, L. Atchison, A. Kelley, E. Favela, (Row Three) J. Edwards, D. McMillan, M. Taylor, C. Ridley, C. Burkhalter, C. Armstrong, P. Jones, L. Forby, Y. Jenkins, (Row Four) M. Denegal, J. Philibert, R. Butler, A. Grove, W. Frazier, H. Costello, M. Washington, K. Smith, T. Mills, L. Hughes, (Row Five) E. Hart, A. Taylor, J. Garrett, R. Stiggers, C. Thomas, R. Madrid, K. Alex, B. Nichols, G. Marshall, T. Moseley, (Bottom Row) B. Mendoza, O. Knapper, D. McDaniels, O. Smith, C. Lacefield, E. Reneau, T. Archie, V. Malbrough, K. Washington, R. Mendoza

Keith Washington pushing his way towards a touchdown.

Jeff Edwards taking a Knight for a flight.

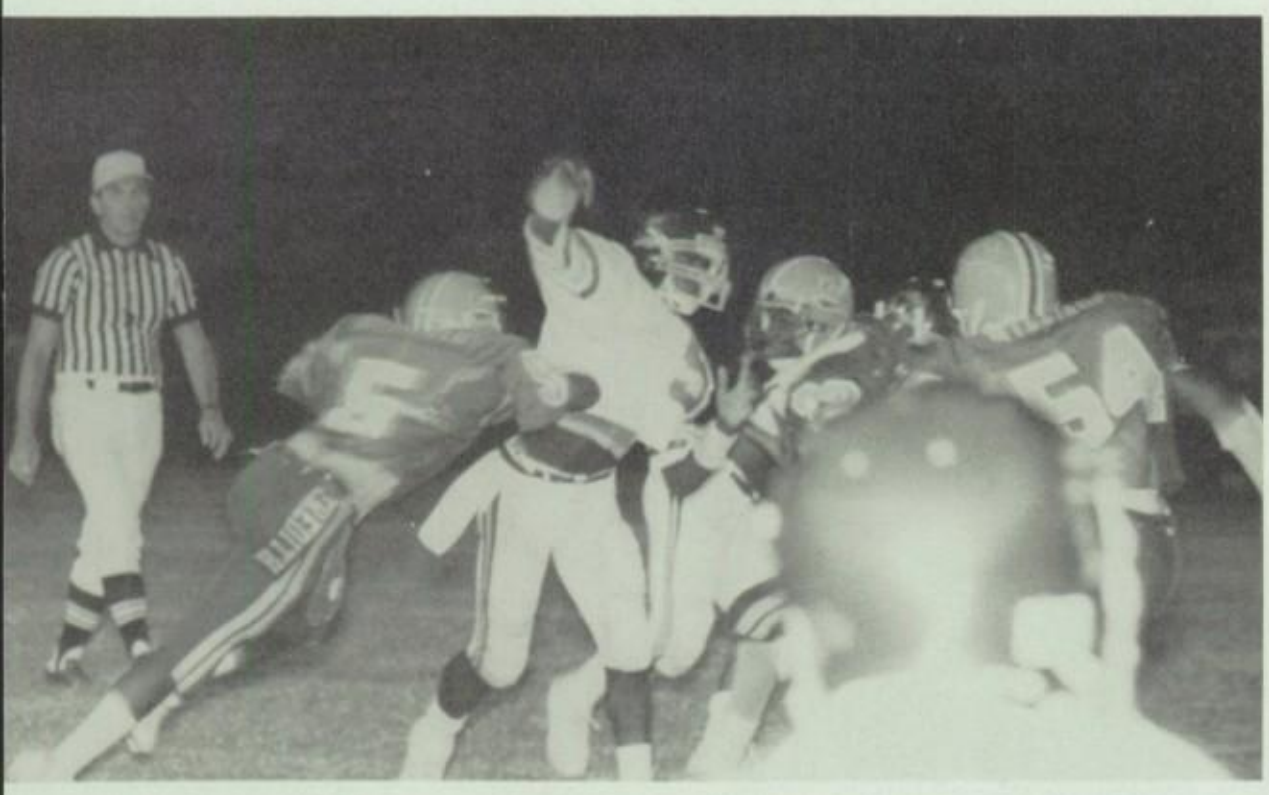
Charles and Keith, takes a fast-break to the "G" line.

"Clyde" glides for a block

Rod Stiggers, Lanon Atchison, (On ground) Keife Alex. Everybody freeze . . .

Keith leaves Lynwood in the Knight.

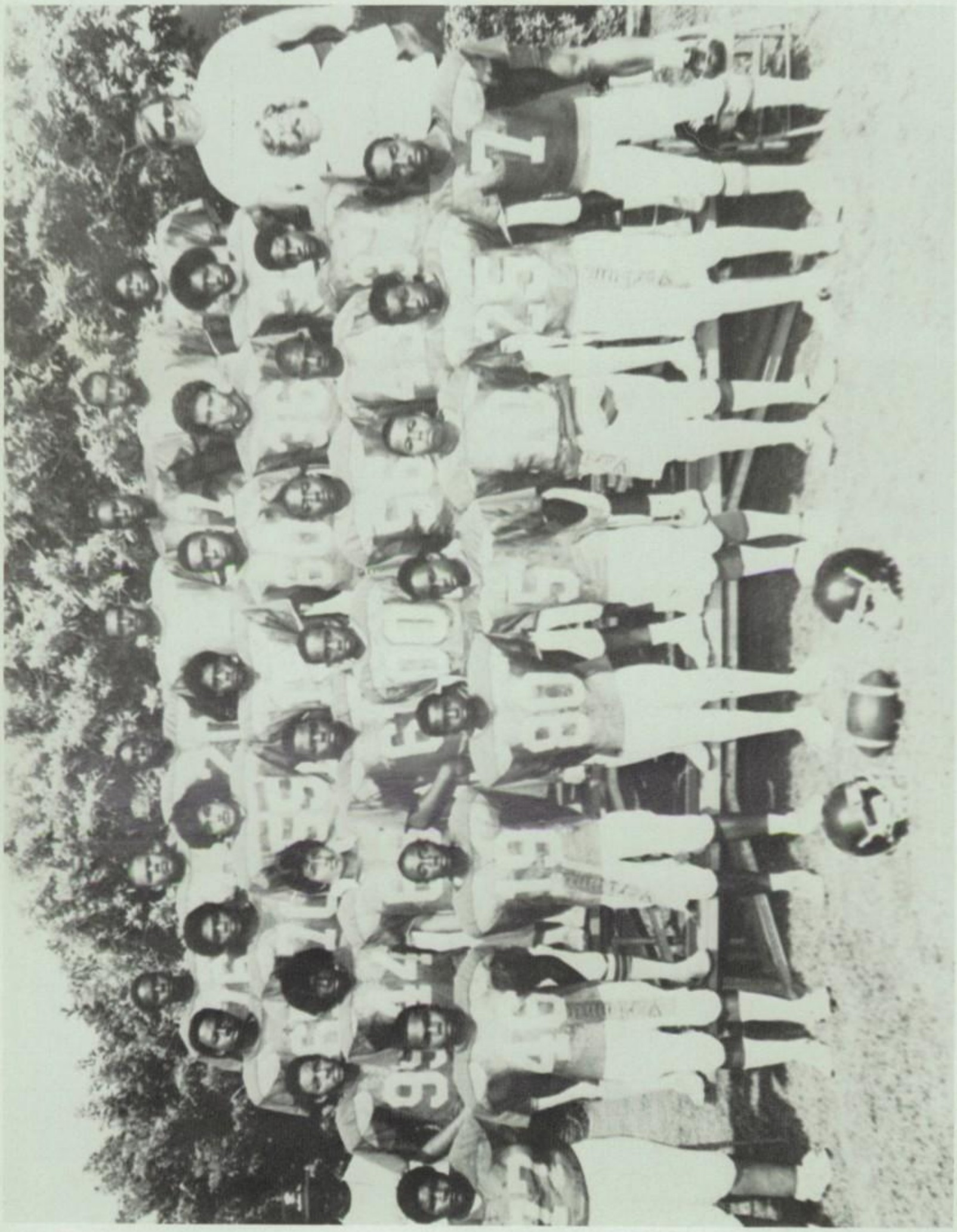
Rod Stiggers being pursued.



Keith passes quickly!

What should I do now? (Mark Taylor)

SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL



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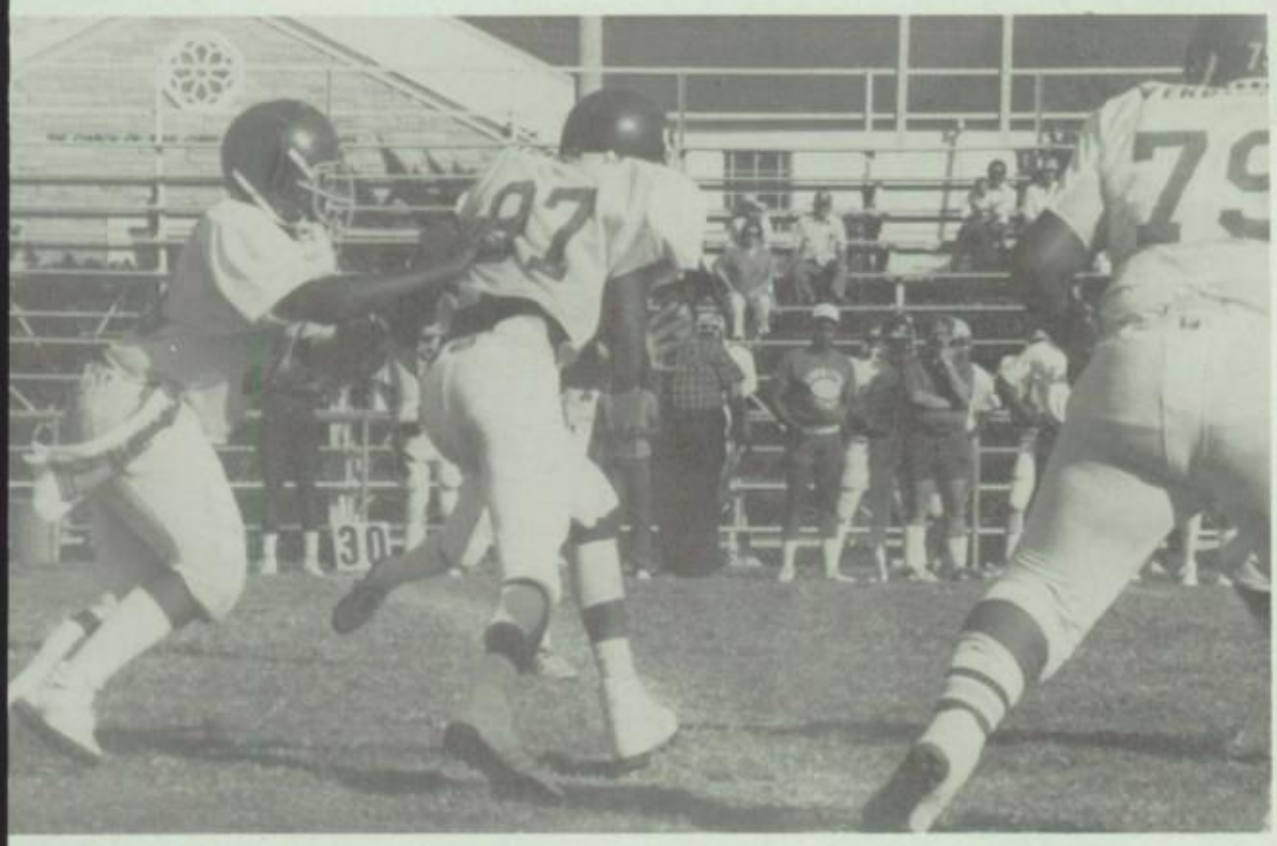


Luther Terrell, David Glaspie blocks for Chilly.

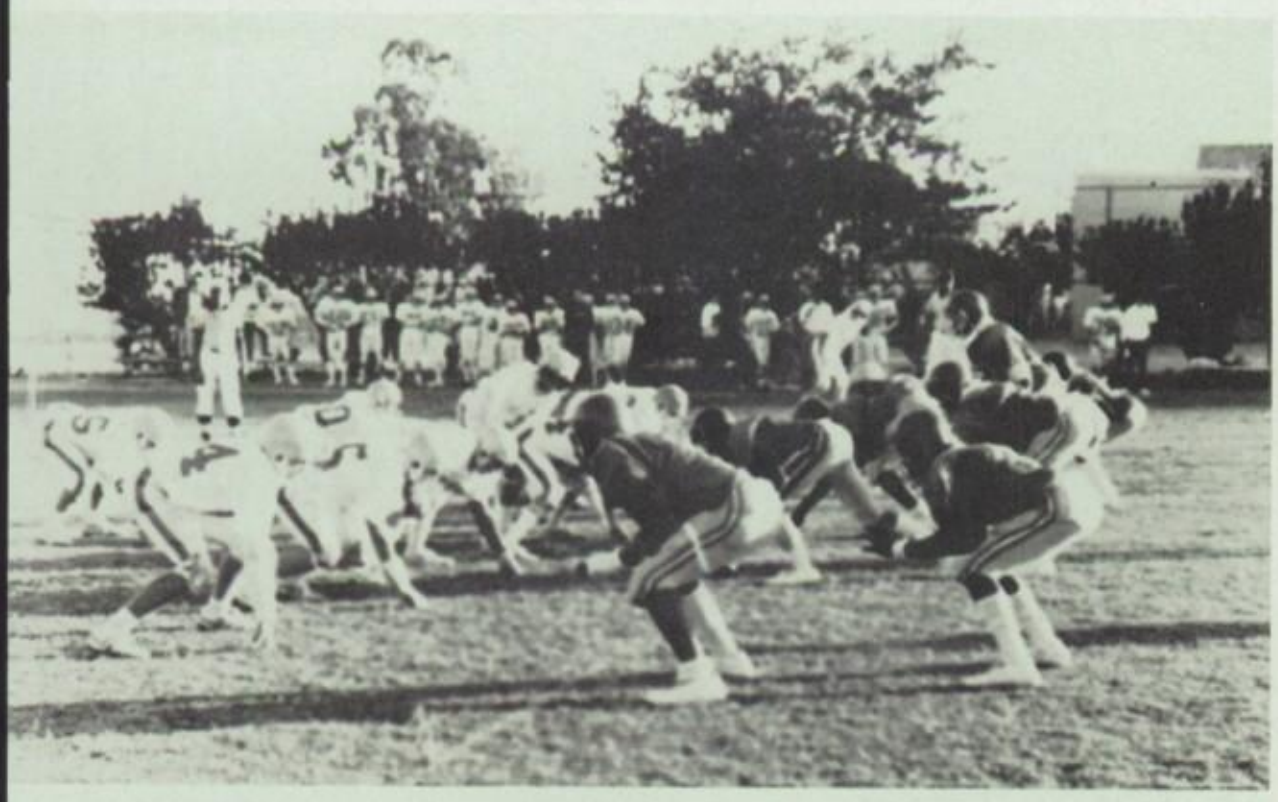
Sophomore Eagles bring down a Knight.

Kevin Williams breaks for a touchdown, as the team looks on.

FRESHMEN FOOTBALL

(TOP, LEFT TO RIGHT) E. Hall, D. Womely, S. Ross, D. Mason, E. Davis, Z. James, Row Two: P. Price, J. Matthews A. Jackson, B. Collins, C. Futch, W. Davis, M. Vann, M. Jefferson, T. G. Lambeth, J. White, C. Reese, A. Williams, C. Houston, T. Melton, Fr. Steve, Row Four: J. Davis, N. Claborne, J. Williams, B. Martinez, P. Batiste, D. Allen, D. Martinez, Bottom Row: F. Brown, K. Smith, V. Hickman, T. Washington, D. Coleman, M. Phillips, C. Norton.

Father Steve lecturing to the Freshmen football team.



Baby Eagles waiting for the kill.

Freshmen football players in action.

VARSITY BASKETBALL

(Standing from left to right) Kevin Williams, Eric Knight, Yul Jenkins, Rashone Lewis, Felipe Briggs, and Larry Jones. (Seated from left to right) David Jones, Coach Clifford Sanchez, and Todd Hanzy Not pictured: Cameron Wilson, Shawn Murray, and Dennis Fulmore

VARSITY BASKETBALL ACTION!!!

(Above) Larry Jones goes for a jump shot. (Left) Eagles battle with the Serra Cavaliers.

(Above) David Jones handles the ball. (Below) Kevin Williams takes a free throw.

(Above) Eric Knight makes a jump shot against Cleveland High School (Below) Yul Jenkins Fights with a Cleveland man for the ball

SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL

(Top row left to right) Darren Warren, Mario Patrick, Michael Teet, James Allen, Kalvin Bryant, Rodney Isaac, Huey Carpenter, Hamilton, Kyle Watkins (Bottom left to right) Doug Lewis, Donald Jose Varela.

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL

(LEFT TO RIGHT TOP ROW) Coach Rafer Owens, Leon Norwood, Edward Davis, Brain Brass, Charles Jackson, Curtis Mitchell (ROW TWO) Derrell Dunning, Jackie Stevenson, Louis Campbell, Virgil Hickman, Chandler Norton

VARSITY TRACK

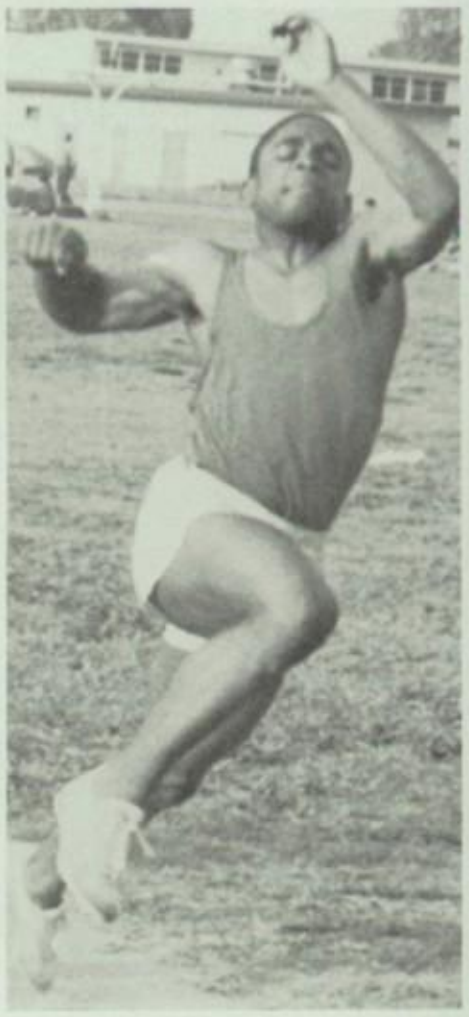
(left to right) C. Thomas, E. Wheatherspoon, Y. Jenkins, L. Landers, C. Sargent, L. Covington, F. Wright, J. Varela, C. Armstrong, J. Johnson, M. Morris (second row) K. Alex, R. Levine, C. Ridley, K. Smith, R. Butler, M. Taylor, A. Grove, D. Kaufman (third row) E. Reneau, T. Archie, D. McDaniels, P. Brown, M. Harris, R. Stiggers, K. Washington

J.V. TRACK

(standing left to right) S. Davidson, G. Black, C. Burkhalter, M. Denegal, G. Marshall, L. Gipson, L. Hughes
(kneeling) J. Littlejohn, D. Sylve, J. Purdie, E. Wafer, W. Fraizer

SOPH/FROSH

(top row left to right) B. Burton, J. Thomas, K. Anderson, D. Lewis, B. Brass, D. Billoups, M. Glasper, E. Davis, C. Jackson, D. Warren, L. Turrell (middle row) C. Scott, A. Carter, D. Womely, Q. Brown, A. Villaros, J. Crumsey, S. Floyd, K. Smith, C. Mitchell, T. Young, M. Phillps (bottom row) K. Ward, B. Samuels, O. Knapper, L. McCoy, K. Martinez, R. Isaac, J. Nunez, S. Magee, K. Crumsey



TRACK ACTION!

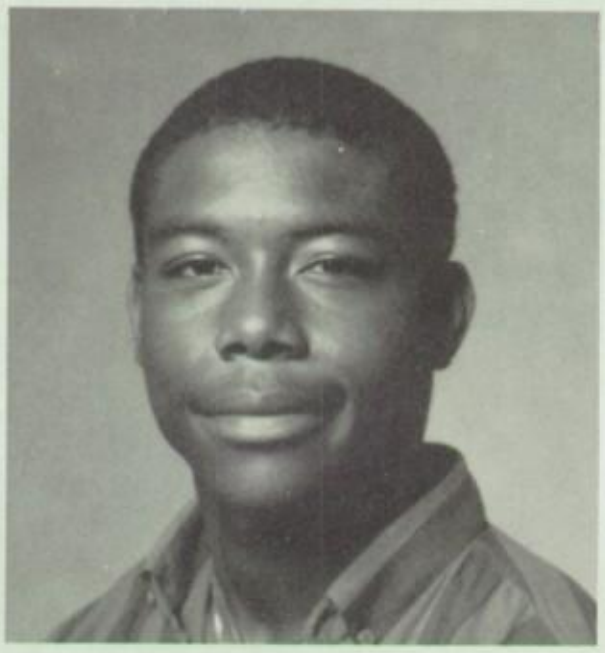
SOCCER TEAM

Top row from left to right: Coach Zavala, Kevin Martinez, Pacilla, Tyron LeCesne, Alberto Rosado, Hubert Zuniga, and Efrem Ramirez, Richard Madrid, Eric Wafer, Elvis Reneau, Austin Baltazar. Bottom row: Juime Villegas, Abel Ibarra, Felipe Caro, Robert Leon, Vincent Pascascio, Justin Reyes, Danny Canto, Laying: Louis Rincon, Cecil Reyes
Roberto Ramirez, Carlos Lacefield and Coach Chavez. Middle row from left to right: Jose Nunez, Thomas Archie, Robert

Always on guard.

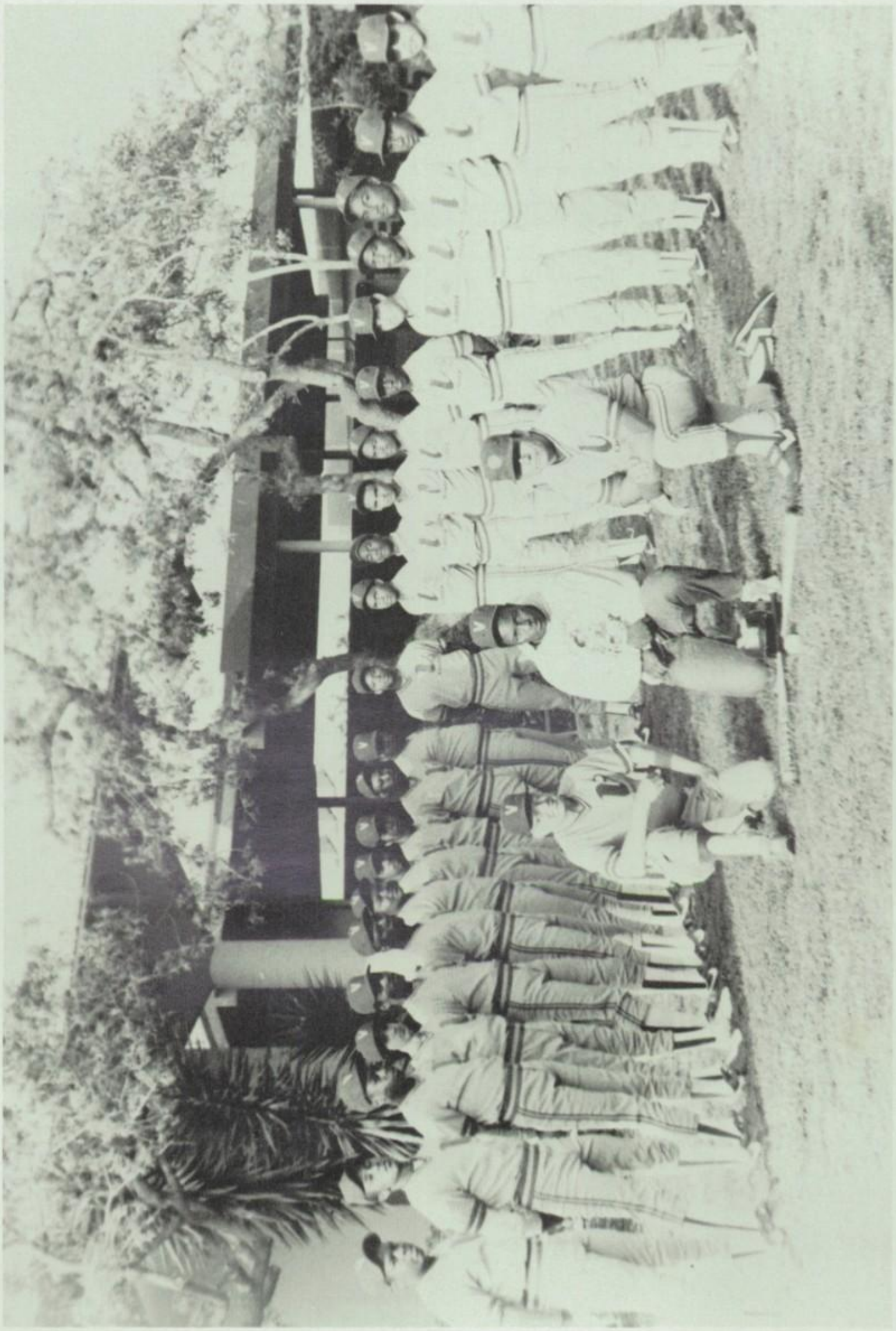
Heuston Costello First Team All-League/Most Valuable Player

Beautiful foot action.



Let's go.

BASEBALL 1985



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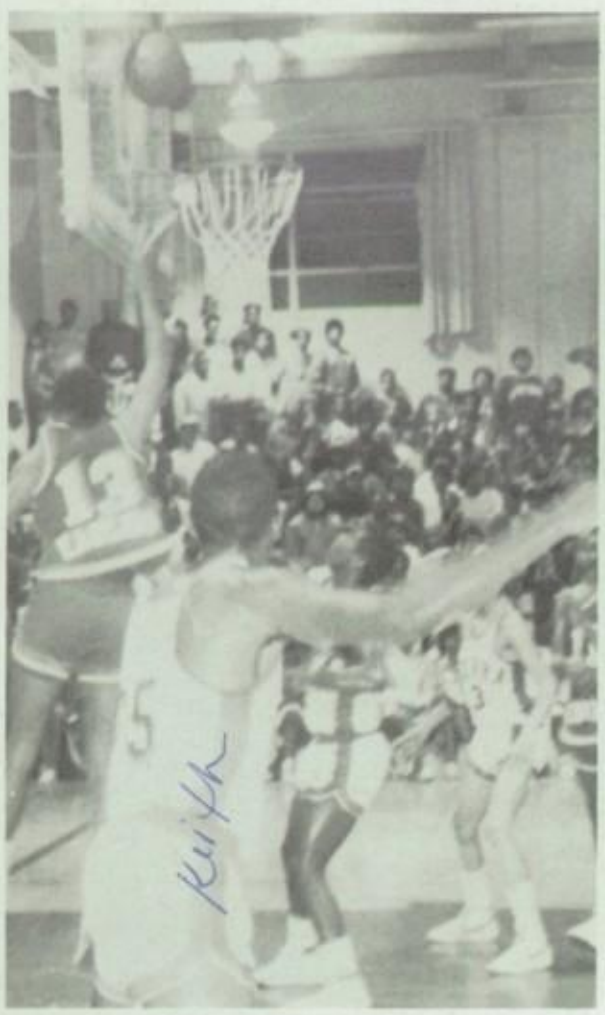
SPORTS CANDIDS "85"

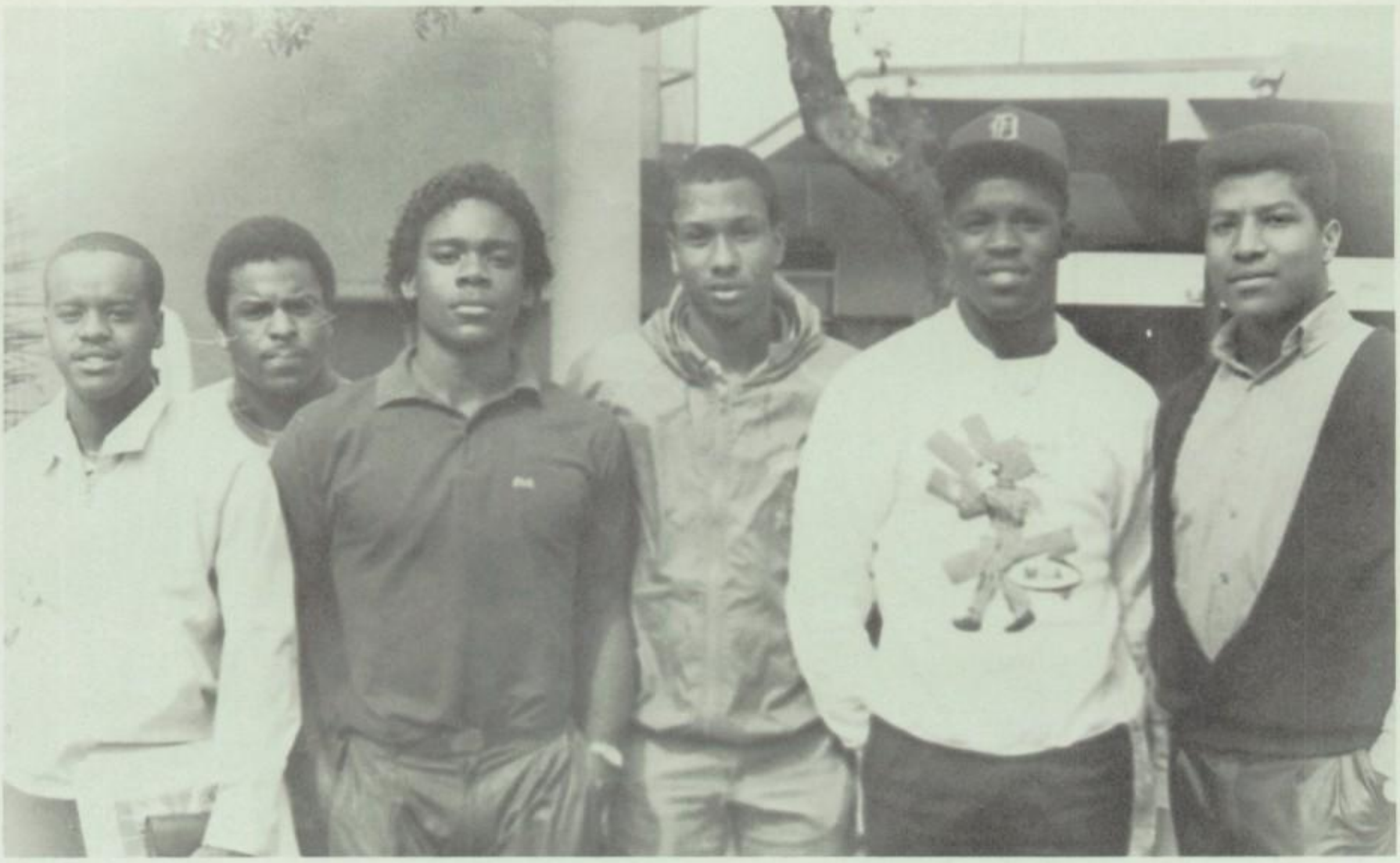


Clubs

STUDENT COUNCIL

(top left to right) Mr. Gutekanst, Sean Gaston, Micheal Preston, Pedro Rosado, (row two) Lawrence Hasten, Kevin Smith, Patrick Brown, Anthony Grove, Tyrone Davis, Otis Knapper, David Coleman.

SENIOR OFFICERS



(left to right) Andrew Taylor, Tracy Mills, Tyrone Davis, Javis Johnson, Damon Redmond, Tommie Smith

JUNIOR OFFICERS

(left to right) Brent Nichols, Calvin Burkhalter, Patrick Brown, Damon Sylve

Senior class moderator Elio Mendoza

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

(left to right) Dubois McMillan, Carlos Lacefield, Otis Knapper, Ernie Chavez, Kevin Williams.

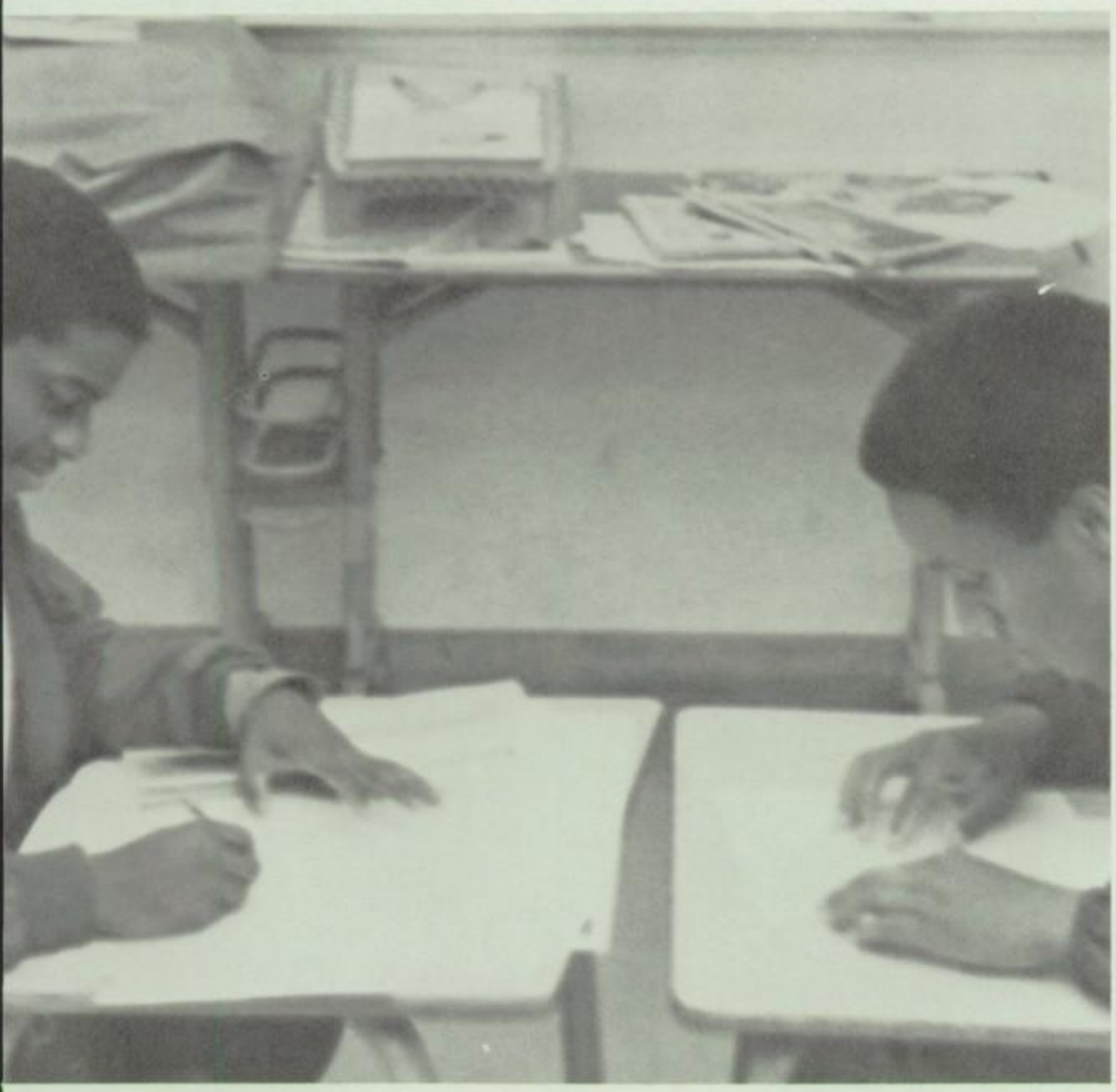
FRESHMEN CLASS OFFICERS

(left to right) Lalo Mendoza, Tyrone Young, Tim Melton, Daryl Dunning, David Coleman, Kevin Smith.

Activities

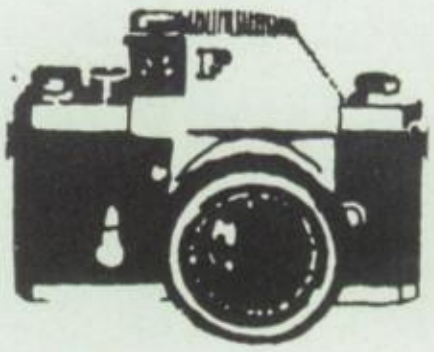
NEWSPAPER STAFF

(TOP LEFT TO RIGHT) Miss Eickman, J. Reyes, E. Davis, M. Dorris, T. Hanzy, N. Bantom, T. Graham, (SEATED LEFT TO RIGHT) D. Nolan, C. Garrett, E. Favela, A. Towles, L. Williams, H. Reed, D. Fulmore, O. Preston



YEARBOOK STAFF 1985

(Left to Right) Michael Preston, Tommie Smith, Bobby Sauels, and Kyle Williams



Michael Preston reviews pictures and inspects a layout plan.

Kyle Williams makes arrangement for the yearbook.

CHEERLEADERS 1984/85

(left to right) Tiffany Smith, LaToyna Stephens, Ms. Grimes, Gloria Hill, Yvette Bland, Ileetha Brooks, Mjulela Collins, Mrs. Healey, Cheryl Stringer, Leslie Denegan

Keisha Reynolds-Mascot

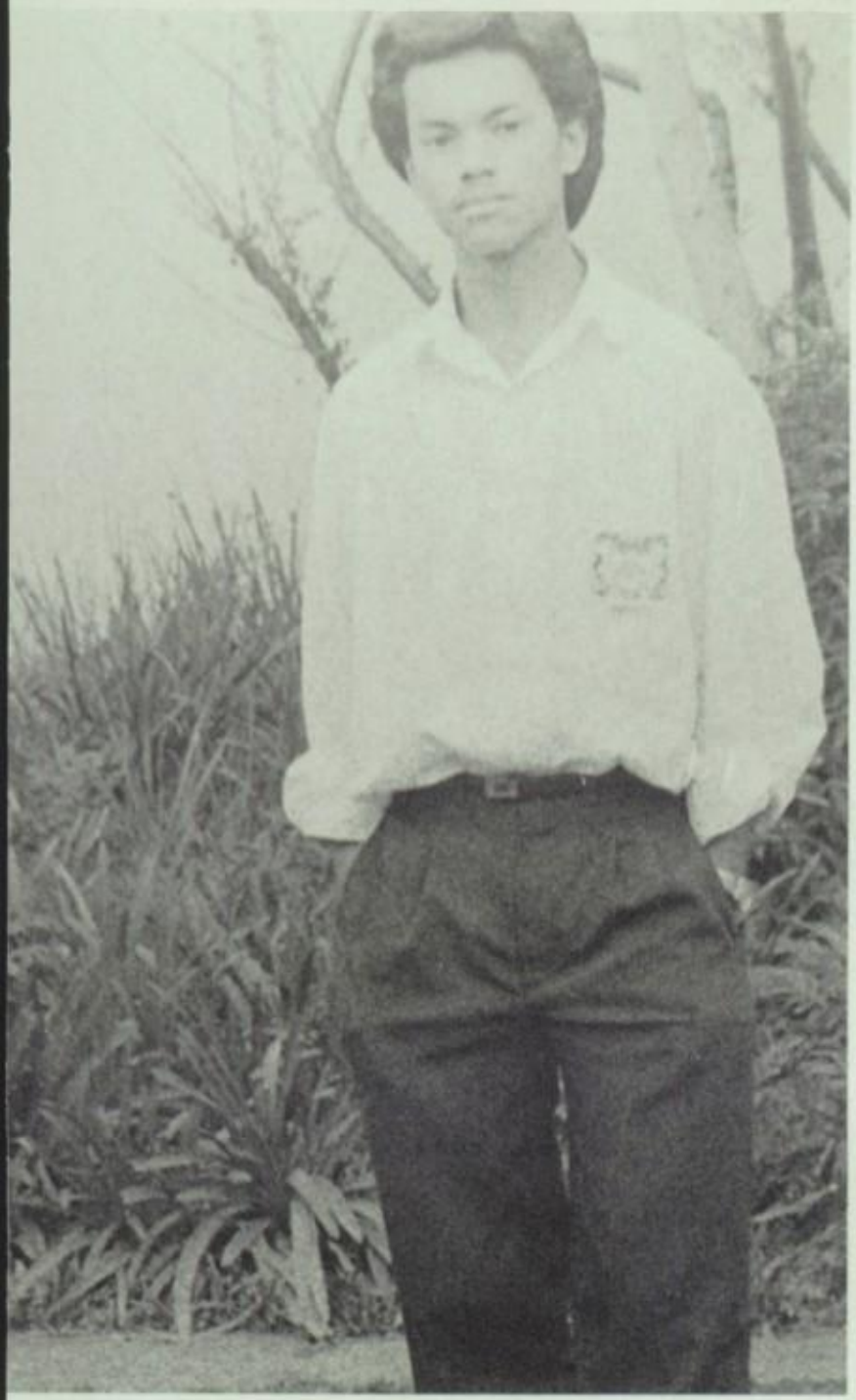
Rosa Gladden-Mascot

CANDIDS

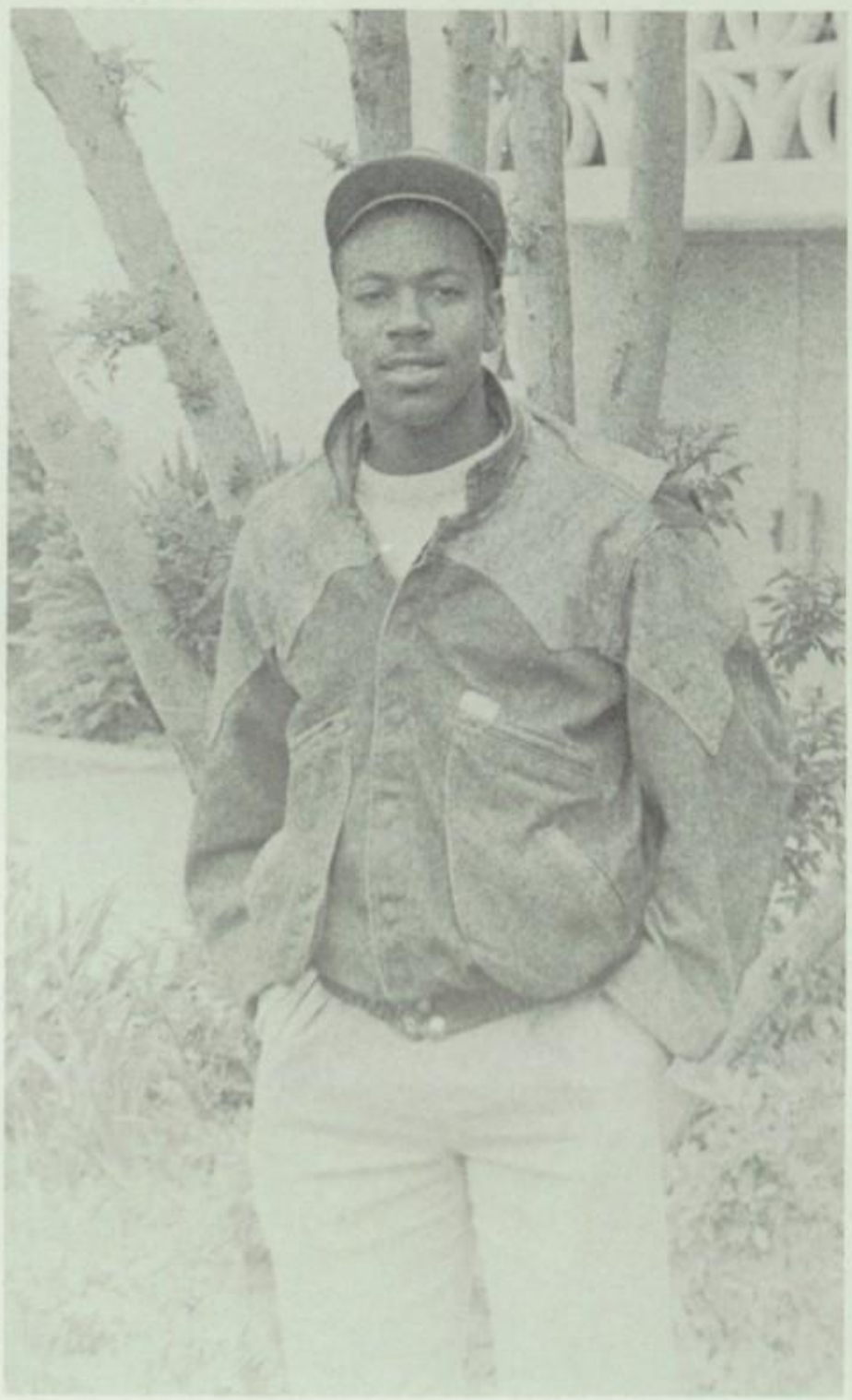
SENIOR HALL OF FAME

(Below) Lawrence Hasten; Most Likely to Succeed and Best Leadership Ability

(Below) Damond Redmond, Anthony Grove, Charro Sargent, Xavier Clewis (Lying) Lamont Landers



John Van Hees: Best Dancer

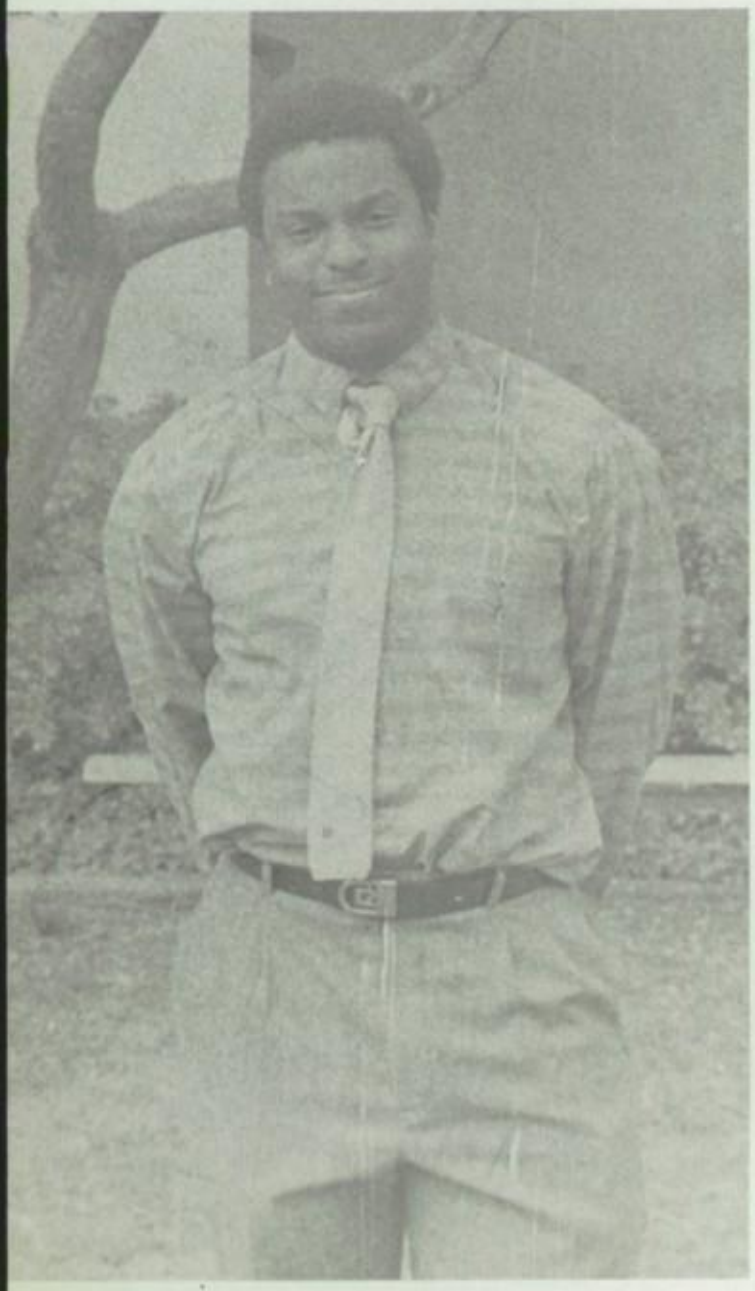


Dennis Fulmore: Best Personality

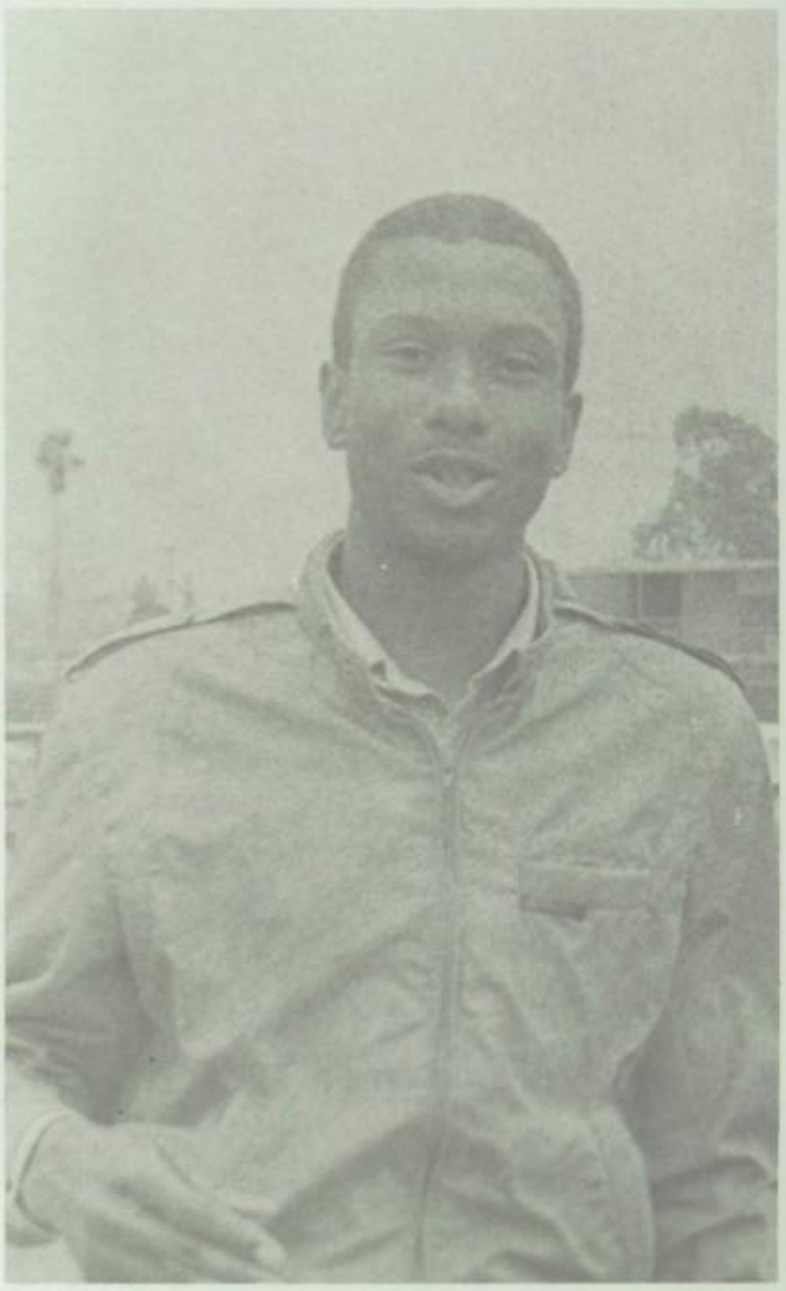
Lanon Atchison: Class Clown

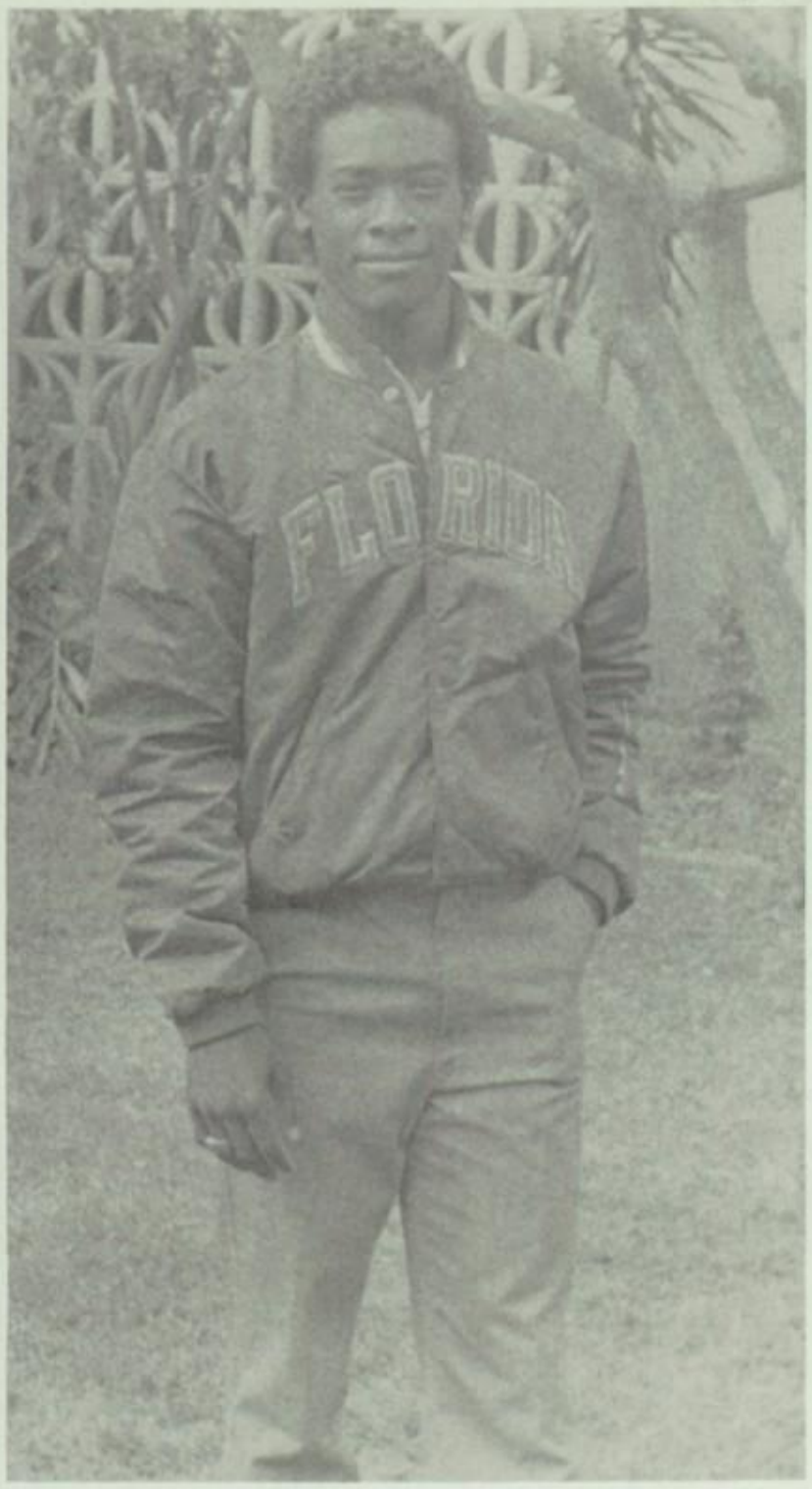
Shawn Murray: Tallest

Curtis Watson: Shortest

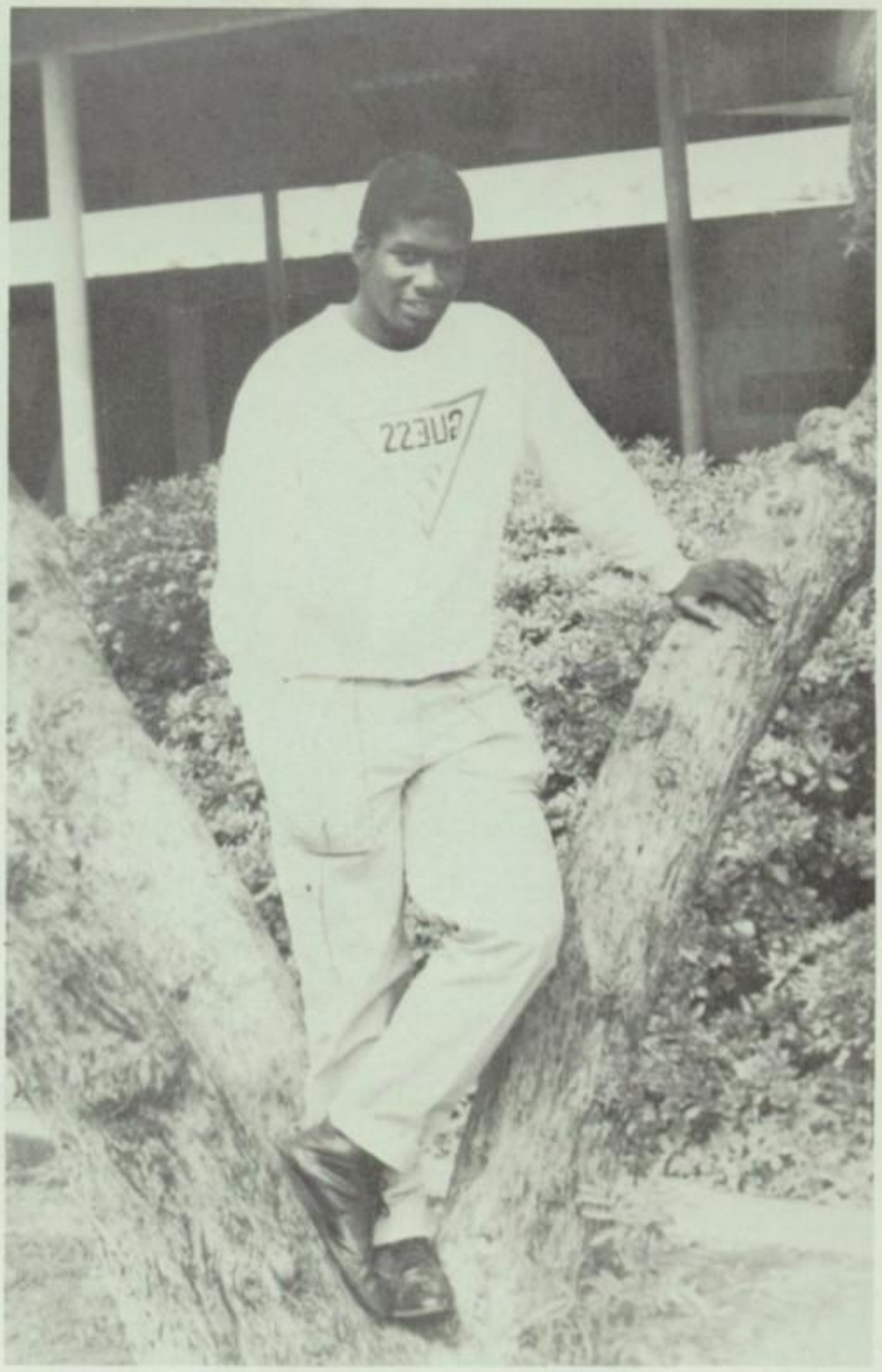


(Left) Tracy Mills: Most School Spirit and Most Dedicated (Right) Javis Johnson: Most Talkative





Anthony Grove: Most Athletic

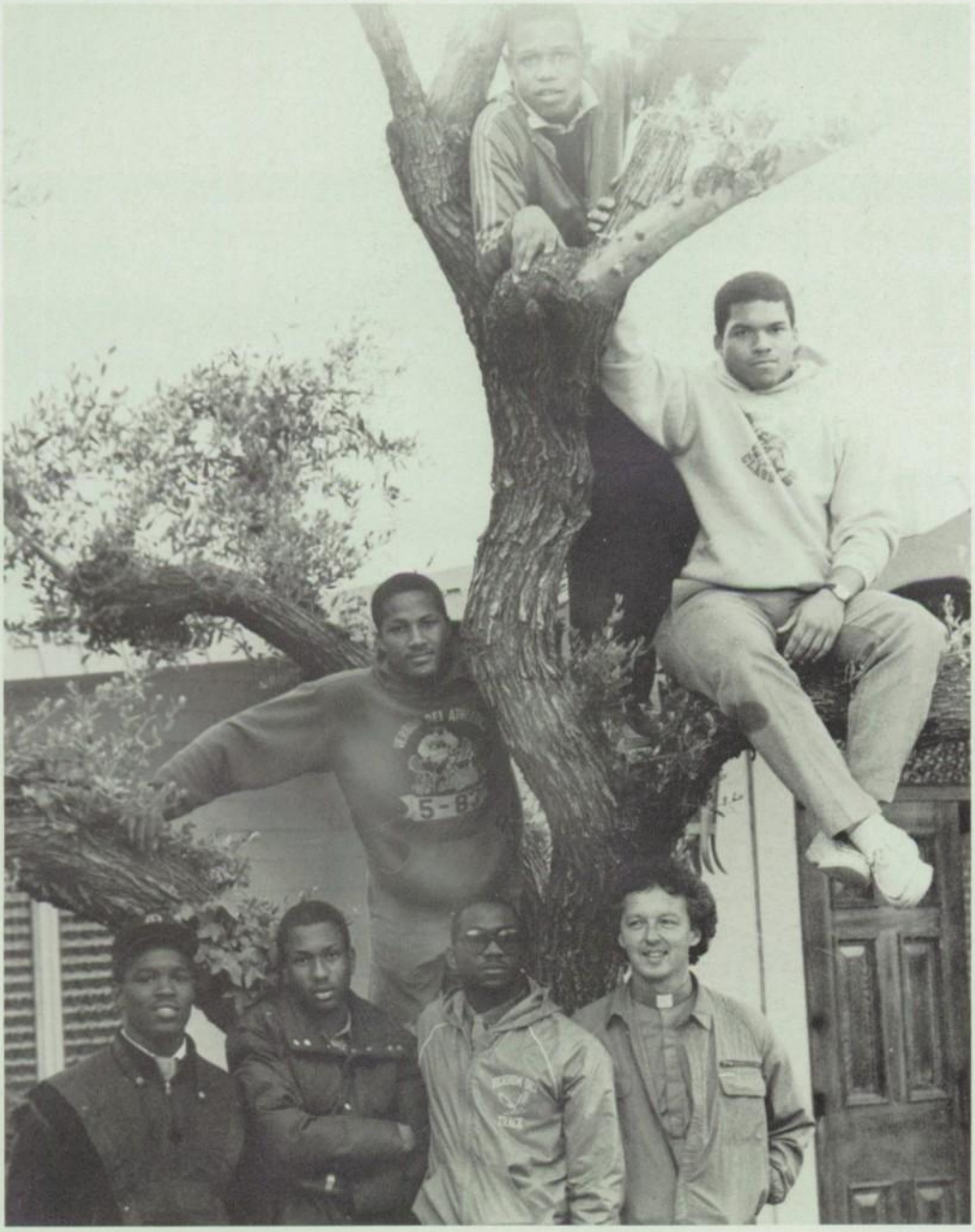


Michael Preston: Best Dressed and Friendliest

LeRon Broussard: Most Popular

(left to right) Freddie Brown, Ken Smith, Dana Burrell, Martin Morris, Curtis Mitchell, Larry Hasten, Greg Lambeth, Sister Pat Peach, (seated left to right) Tyrone Young, David Thomas, David Cameron, Sean Gaston (Below Right) David Thomas and Sean Gaston build a oil derrick. (Below) Pedro talking to a M.E.S.A. representive.

BLOOD DRIVE COMMITTEE



(TOP OF THE TREE) Calvin Burkhalter, Ricardo Levine, David Jones, (Below left to right) Damond Redmond, Javis Johnson, Patrick Brown, Fr. Wadeson. S.V.D.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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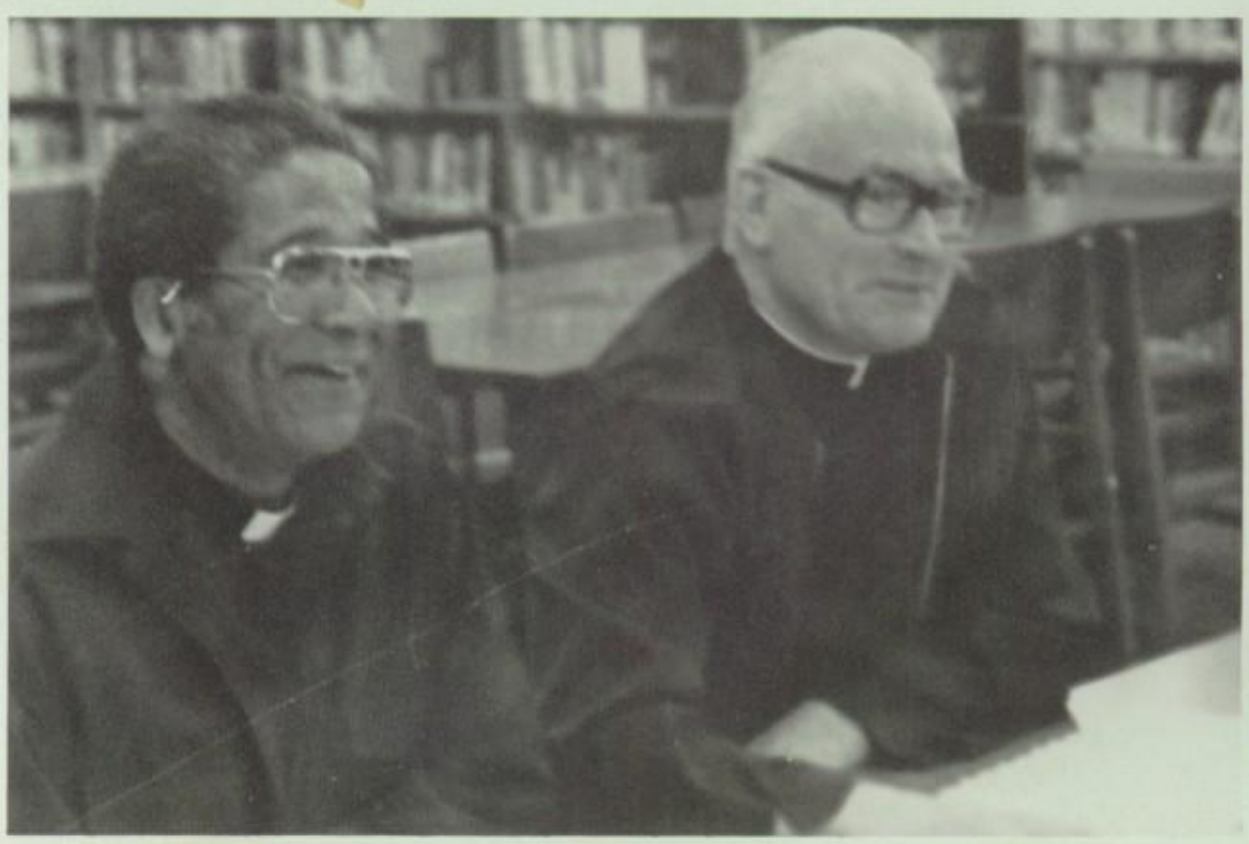
Fr. Robinson and Fr. McGinn



1984-85

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(Above l to r) Jerry Jackson, Ted Steinberg (Left) Gilbert Baker

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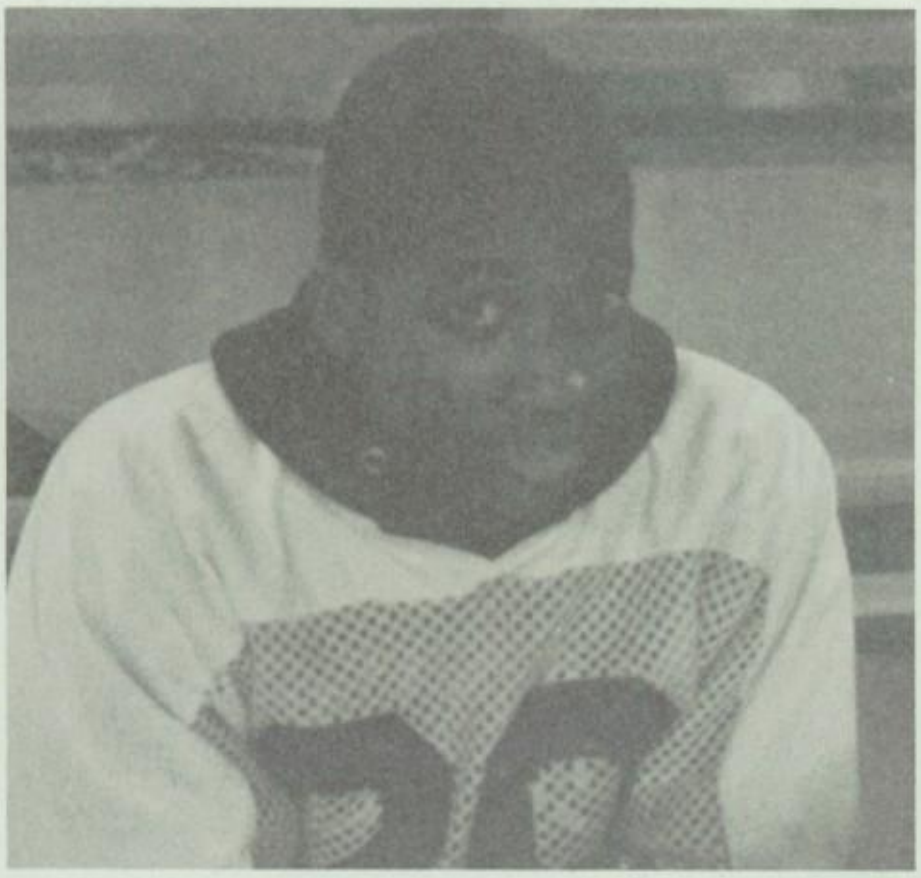

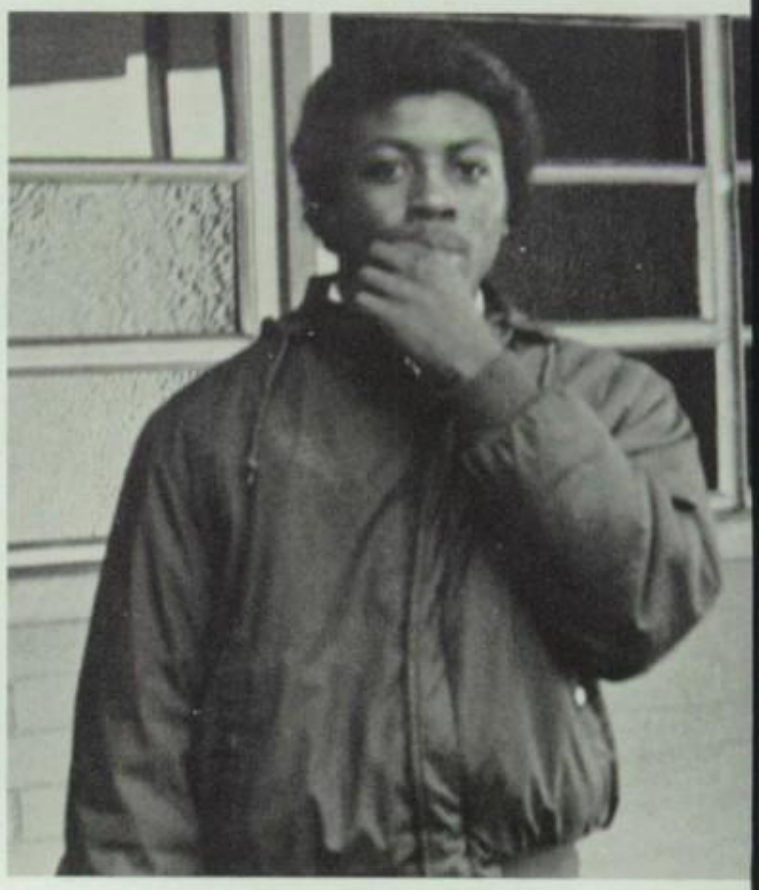

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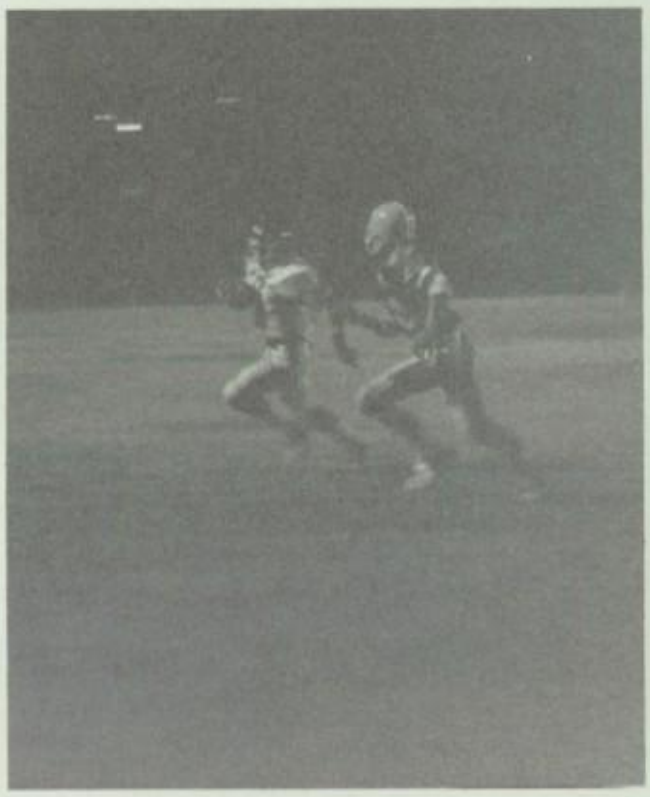
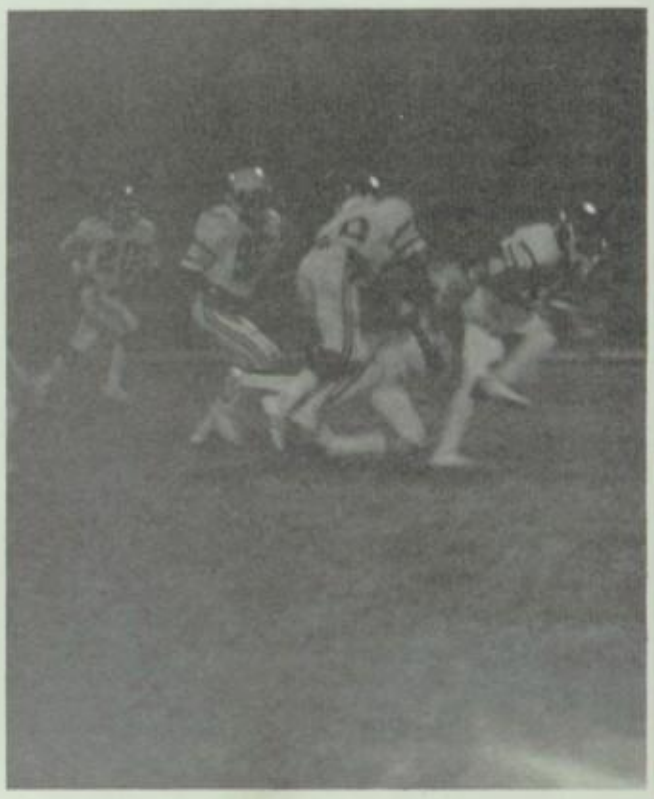
(From left to right) D. McMillian, A. Ibarra, M. Preston, S. Gaston, P. Rosado, L. Hughes, Fr. Hutchins, A. Reams, J. Turner, M. Denegal, D. Burrell, L. Hasten, M. Morris, (ROW TWO) C. Reyes, F. Caro, R. Smith, K. Smith, O. Knapper, J. Garrett.

HOMECOMING

Top row (l. to r.) Gilver Sierra, Gloria Hill, Illetha Brooks, and Sophia Blackwell. Bottom row (l. to r.) Curtisa Seymour, Homecoming Queen Dorothy Sorten, and Kimberly Mack. (On left) Varsity Eagles play against Marystar High for our annual Homecoming game.





Top row (l. to r.) Lamont Johnson, John Van Hees, Trevor Graham, and Tommie Smith. Bottom row (l. to r.) Dwight Kaufman, Steve Pyles, and LeRon Broussard.

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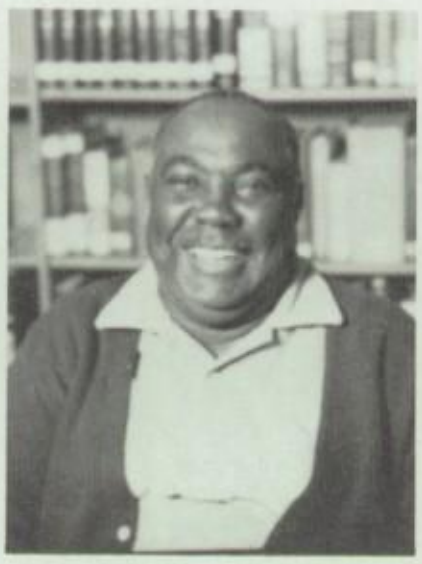

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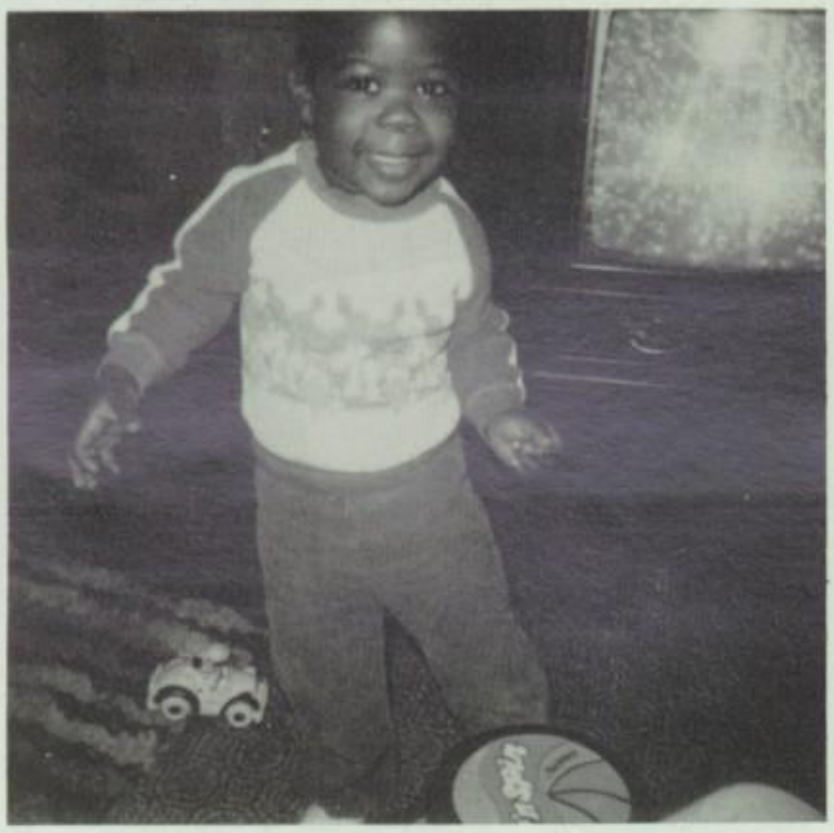
Congratulations Kenneth! Love you, Mom & Dad



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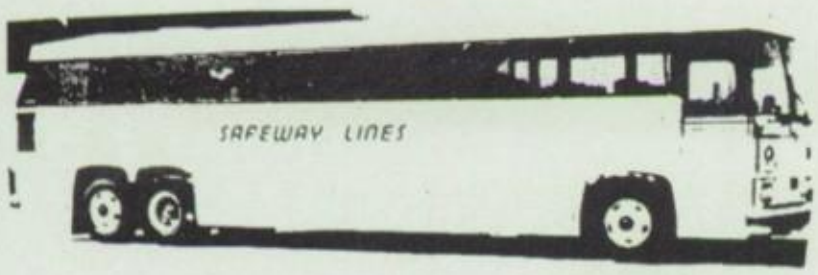

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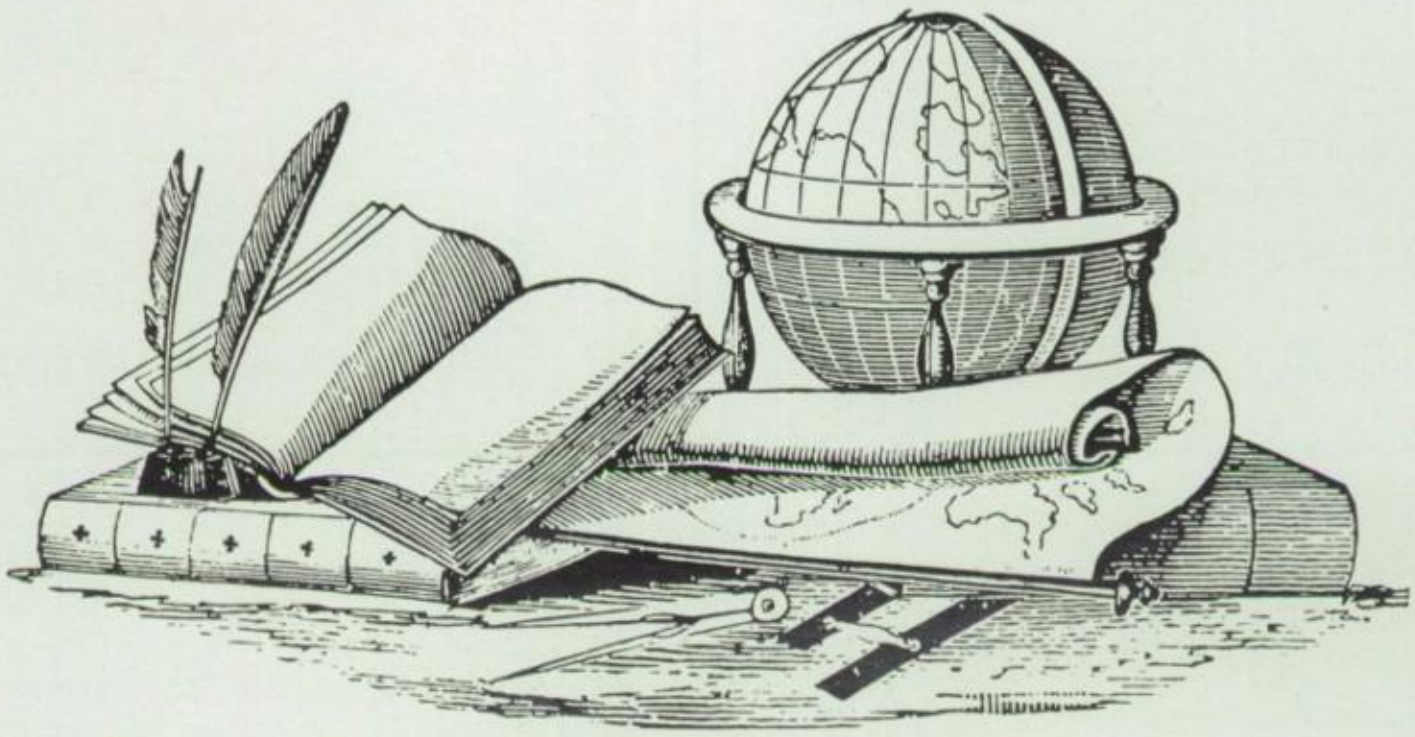

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